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## *Etude Noel*

**Jenny Batts sits with her violin at the ready during Sanborn School Christmas concert. Jenny is a member of the Elementary Chamber Strings.**

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# New Configuration For Schools Comes From Budget Talk

**By Karen L. Day**

A discussion beginning with the transportation budget eventually encompassed the total budget picture and possible changes in the configuration of Andover's schools at the School Committee meeting Tuesday night.

As part of the transportation budget, totaling $873,568, presented the School Committee Tuesday evening, School Business Manager Frank Paul proposed a new system which would allow buses to make single trips, provided that schools are opened on a staggered schedule. A possible schedule would have the high school opening at 7:30 a.m., a middle school at 8:15 a.m. and the elementary schools at 9:00 a.m.

According to Paul, this would save the schools money because they could delete 130 professional labor hours per day since students would arrive at school around ten minutes before classes begin instead of an hour before classes when the children need supervision.

Per pupil cost for regular day transportation is $129.57 per year, per student, or about 73 cents per student, per day. This cost is about $100 a year less than the national average and $70 less than per pupil costs in comparable suburban communities.

The total cost of transportation is about $648,000 per year. According to Paul, if a middle school came into being, a more effective system could be implemented with no additional cost.

Committee member Susan Poore commented that transportation is only one consideration when discussing the idea of a middle school. But Superintendent Kenneth Seifert commented that a discussion of the idea should be forthcoming. "I do hope we are serious about looking at" the configuration of the schools. "There are some real deficiencies that I think need to be addressed."

Committeeman Donald Robb commented that it would be useful to the committee to have a summary of initiatives in the classroom. "What does this (overall) budget do in the classroom that it didn't do this year?"

Michael Giammusso, chairman of the committee, added that maybe a slight increase in the student/teacher ratio wouldn't be all bad if it would allow the freeing of some teachers to work on spe-

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## *Holiday Deadline*

**Due to the Christmas holiday on Thursday, deadlines for the December 24 issue of the TOWNSMAN have been changed.**

**All news and advertising copy must be submitted to the TOWNSMAN office by 12 noon Friday in order to facilitate production of next week's edition and to allow employees to enjoy the holiday with their families.**

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# Appointed Directors Of Chamber

The Greater Lawrence Chamber of Commerce has announced the appointment of Gregory Neale Hughes of AT&T Network Systems and Timothy R. Manning of Raytheon Company to the chamber's board of directors. They were elected at the chamber's monthly meeting on December 8 at Bishop's Restaurant.

Hughes is director of engineering, AT&T Network Systems, Merrimack Valley Works. He is responsible for engineering and transmission equipment and holds a Ph.D. from Princeton University. His career with AT&T has included liaison engineer in London and management and supervisory positions in Gaston, S.C. and Atlanta, Ga. He assumed his present position on April 15, 1985. Hughes lives with his wife and three daughters in Andover.

Manning, industrial relations manager at Raytheon Company, is a graduate of Northeastern University and resides in Duxbury. He assumed his present position at the Andover plant in August 1986.

Prior to joining Raytheon in 1980, Manning was a corporate labor relations consultant and had a variety of labor relations responsbilities with the Northrop Corporation of Norwood and General Motors in Framingham.


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## Completes Recruit Training

Navy Seaman Recruit Jeffrey R. Brown, son of Richard and Edyth Brown, 41 Brown St., Andover, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, San Diego.

During the eight-week training cycle, Brown sudied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

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# Town House Topics

## *Monthly Glass Drive Saturday*

Clear and green glass will be collected in a divided bin in Town Hall parking lot on Bartlet Street this Saturday, Dec. 20, in Andover's monthly commitment to recycle glass bottles and jars. Volunteers from Andover Recycling, Inc. will be on the site from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in case anyone needs help or information.

While the quality of some substances may deteriorate with repeated recycling, glass may be reused indefinitely. In some states, like New Jersey, with strict anti-pollution regulations, recycled glass is an essential ingredient in the formation of new glass containers because it burns hotter than raw materials, uses less fuel to reach the desired consistency and lowers the volume of emissions in the atmosphere.

North Atlantic Recycling Services, owned and operated by Andover resident David B. White, has been the town's dependable glass hauler since 1981.

## *Additional Floor Will Add Units*

At a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals Monday night, Jordan Burgess and Philip Singleton proposed an additional story to the affordable housing unit, which originally was to contain 23 units, in their application for a comprehensive permit to build 88 condominium units adjacent to Dundee Office Park.

According to Singleton, the additional floor containing five units, bringing total units to 93, has been added to the proposal due to interest of town officials in purchasing a number of units to rent out.

Also discussed were the access rights to the site, which cannot be documented, a play area near the "affordable" unit building. The parking plan was also reviewed, with some of the parking being underground.

The board will meet for deliberations on the proposal Monday, Dec. 22, at 6:30 p.m. in the School Committee conference room, second floor, Whittier St. entrance.

The public may attend the deliberations, but will not be free to comment on the proposal as the public hearing portion of the process was closed last Monday evening.

## *Houghton Re-elected Chairman*

The Andover Planning Board re-elected Michael Houghton as board chairman during its annual election on Dec. 9. Houghton was originally elected chairman earlier this year when previous chairman Margaret Bradshaw resigned from the board.

Other new officers are Carl Byers, vice-chairman, and Don Ellsworth, secretary.

## *No Bus Service On Holidays*

The Merrimack Valley Regional Transit Authority has released the following schedule to be in effect Christmas day, Thursday, Dec. 25, and New Year's Day, Jan. 1:

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## Arrests

Wednesday, Dec. 10 — James D. Larkin, 34 Nutter Road, North Reading, possession of marijuana, 7:57 a.m.

Thursday, Dec. 11 — Carlos R. Fontanez, 92 Oak St., Lawrence, on a Lowell larceny warrant, 6:69 a.m.

Friday, Dec. 12 — Elefterois Karakostas, 158 Butler St., Lawrence, placing explosives, 11:25 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 13 — John Cruz, 83 Hancock St., operating under the influence, 12:49 a.m.; Dean L. Lopresti, 14 Wildwood Road, on a North Reading warrant, 3:41 a.m.; Tammy A. Couture, 65 Kingston St., Lawrence, possession, 5:54 a.m.; Eliesel Aponte, 113 Prospect St., Lawrence, operating under the influence and operating without a license, 4:56 a.m.; Ismael Perez, 163 Union St., on a Lawrence default warrant, 7:08 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 14 — Sean P. Hill, 62 Roosevelt St., Marlboro, on a Grafton warrant, 8:09 p.m.

## Accidents

Tuesday, Dec. 9 — At 350 Lowell St., 7:54 a.m.; At 76 Stevens St., car left scene, 11:07 a.m.; At 36 Lowell St., ambulance detailed, 12:15 p.m.; At 58 Brown St., 3:23 p.m.; At 189 River Road, 7:26 p.m.; 464 Lowell St., 8:20 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 10 — At 7 High St., hit stop sign, 4:12 a.m.; On Rte. 495, 8:00 a.m.; At 197 High St., 8:57 a.m.; At 95 River Road, 2:22 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 11 — At 5 Lupine Road, 7:18 p.m.; At Rte. 93, 7:51 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 12 — At 341 Fairmount St., hit telephone pole, 2:37 a.m.; At 550 Lowell St., telephone pole hit, 2:37 a.m.; At Rte. 93 and Dascomb Road, 7:38 a.m.; At Central and Lupine roads, 7:59 a.m.; At 368 South Main St., 4:43 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 13 — At 102 River Road, 11:54 a.m.; At 32 North Main St., 1:12p.m.; At 195 Holt Road, ambulance detailed, 11:51 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 14 — At 1 Carisbrooke St., car struck pole, 3:26 a.m.

Monday, Dec. 15 — At 93 Main St., 4:34 p.m.

## Vandalism

Wednesday, Dec. 10 — Outdoor Christmas lights vandalized at 80 Woburn St., 9:50 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 11 — Vandalism to motor vehicle at 5 Crest Drive, 6:14 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 13 — Vandalism at 13 Azalea Deive, 10:58 a.m.; Car windows broken at 5 Poor St.; 5:33 p.m.; Object thrown at windshield at 264 River Road, 9:36 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 15 — Vandalism at 11 Sagamore Drive, 4:13 p.m.

## Stolen Cars

Wednesday, Dec. 10 — Recovery of stolen car from Frontage Road, 9:31 a.m.; Car stolen from Le Biftheque, 6:42 p.m.; 1982 Chevrolet Camaro reported stolen, 8:08 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 12 — 1986 Oldsmobile Cutlass stolen from the Koala Inn, 10:08 a.m.

Saturday, Dec. 13 — Dealer plate stolen from Woodworth Motors, 8:19 a.m.; 1987 Chevrolet Celebrity stolen from Cresent Drive, 9:52 a.m.; Blue Toyota stolen at 11:17 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 14 — Car stolen from Shawsheen Plaza at 4:24 p.m.

## Breaks

Wednesday, Dec. 10 — House break at 510 Lowell St., 5:18 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 11 — House break at 45 Brown St., 10:07 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 12 — House break at 17 Messina Drive, 6:56 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 14 — House break at 236 Chandler Road, 4:16 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 15 — Break at 7 Lowell St., 5:34 a.m.; At 5 Lowell St., 6:13 a.m.; At 3 Poor St., 6:19 a.m.; At 1 Poor St., 6:22 a.m.; At Dolan Fish Market, 13 Barnard St., 8:06 a.m.; House break at 81 Bailey Road, 5:26 p.m.

## Thefts

Tuesday, Dec. 9—Wreath stolen from front door of 9 Foster Circle, 1:16 a.m.; Pocketbook stolen at 200 Main St., 12:43 p.m.; Bad check at Shawsheen Plaza, 12:59 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 10—Theft of clothes from motor vehicle at 180 Andover St., 8:20 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 12—Theft of snow plow at 3 Briar Wood Court, 4:12 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 13—Theft of four foot tall Santa at 5 Center St., 9:39 a.m.; Cassette tapes and Boom Boxes stolen from 69 Wells Lane, 11:46 a.m.; Theft of wreath at 36A Center St., 2:24 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 15—Theft of tools from 10 Lowell Junction Road, 7:19 a.m.;Theft from 3 Ayer St., 4:22 p.m.

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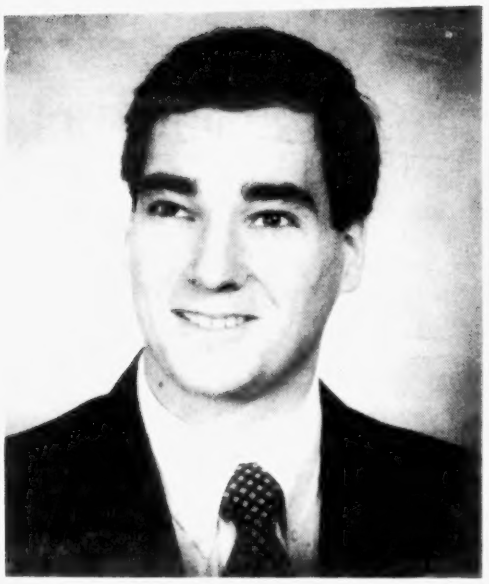
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Peter F. Dunn

Peter F. Dunn, son of Mr and Mrs. Robert F. Dunn, 37 Old County Road, Andover, entered the George Washington University School of Medicine on August 22.

Dunn, a four-year Dean's List student, graduated with honors on May 4 from the George Washington University Columbian College of Arts and Science with Bachelor of Arts degrees in Zoology and Classical Humanities. He was the winner of the John F. Latimer Prize. This award is made to the outstanding graduating senior with a major in Greek, Latin and Classical Humanities. While an undergraduate, Dunn was the winner of the Elton Prize in Greek, awarded to the outstanding student in the Classical Humanities of all undergraduates. He was a member of the Epsilon Beta chapter of ETA Sigma Phi National Classics Honor Society, the Pre-Med Honor Society, a peer advisor to incoming students in the sciences and classics, a teaching assistant in advanced human physiology and a member of the graduating committee.

Dunn was one of three students selected for admission to the George Washington School of Medicine while in his sophomore year. He was a 1982 honor graduate from Brooks School, North Andover.


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Sheila Eckoff and Dot Pelc led the group in a variety of productive thinking activities to generate original thinking and stimulate development of leadership skills.

Faculty advisors, Maurice Ferris from Bancroft, Ruth Stebbins from the Early Childhood Center, Jane Snow from Sanborn, Bob Littlefield from South and Jim Redmond from West Elementary, led student groups in sharing and organizing ideas for a preliminary working draft of student rights and responsibilities.

Plans are underway for the next elementary leadership training institute which will be held in February.


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Sandra H. Ciolfi

# Named To Alumni Post

Sandra House Ciolfi, a resident of Andover and correspondence secretary for the past eight years to Tufts University President Jean Mayer, has been named associate director of alumni relations at the Medford institution and secretary-treasurer of the Tufts University Alumni Association.

A 1960 Tufts graduate, she is the fourth person in the university's 134-year history to hold the title of alumni secretary.

Ciolfi majored in government and has been active in alumni affairs since her graduation.

She returned to the Tufts campus in 1978 to work in the president;s office after working as a social studies teacher, a staff member of the American Association of Retired Persons and secretary to the special education director of the Andover public schools.

Ciolfi looks forward to the challenges in her new job, which involves interacting with more than 50,000 Tufts alumni throughout the world.

"I think the most important thing to me is to contiinue to be at Tufts, which I find a very vibrant, exciting place with a community of interesting people," she says.

# Andover Students On Honor Roll

Several Andover and North Andover residents have been named to the honor roll for the first school term at Governor Dummer Academy in Byfield.

Students who earned a grade average of B- or better include:

From Andover: Jeffrey Ashwworth, son of Mr and Mrs. Gerald Ashworth, 7 Athena Circle, a senior; Lindsey Curley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Curley, 121 Wildwood Road, a sophomore; Lisa DiIorio, daughter of Mrs. John DiIorio, 32 Karlton Circle, a senior; Philip Dimitriou, son of Mr. and Mrs. Evangelos Dimitriou, 5 Langley lane, a sophomore; Amy Goldstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Goldstein, 13 Candlewood Drive, a senior; Todd O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. O'Brien, 83 Central St., a junior; James Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis X. Sullivan, 2 Will-O-Way, a junior; and Anne Weitzman, daughter of Mrs. Judith E. Finman, 29 Lincoln Circle, a junior.

From North Andoer: Jennifer Griffin, a senior, and Susannah Griffin, a sophomore, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Kvin C. Griffin, 49 Brentwood Circle, and Britt Kristensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Konrad Kristensen, 127 Bridle Path, a freshman.

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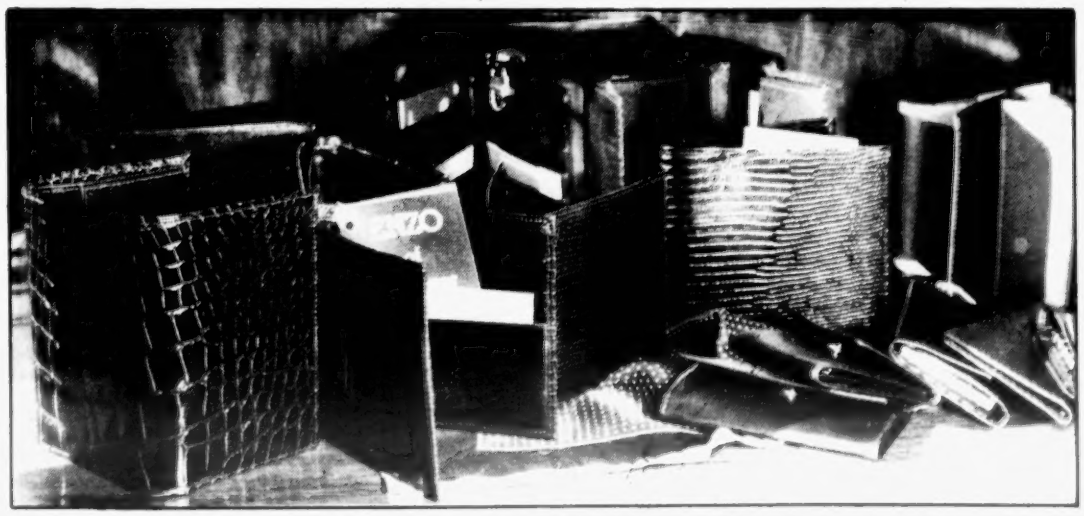
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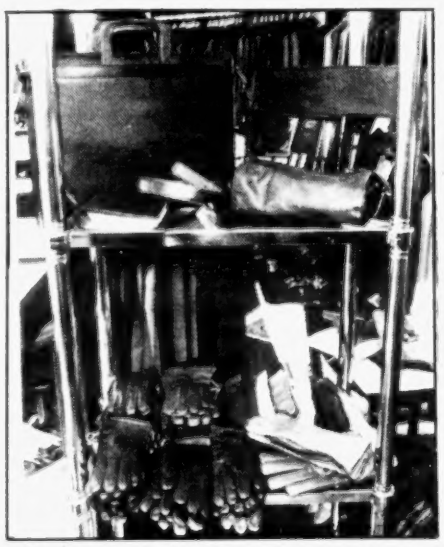
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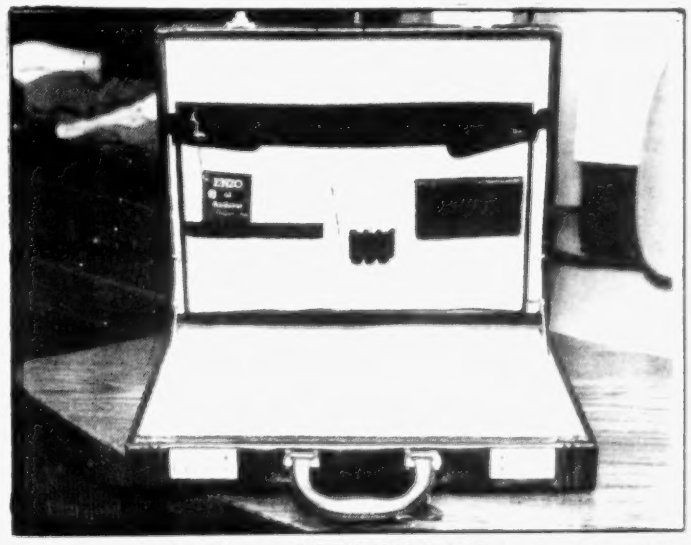
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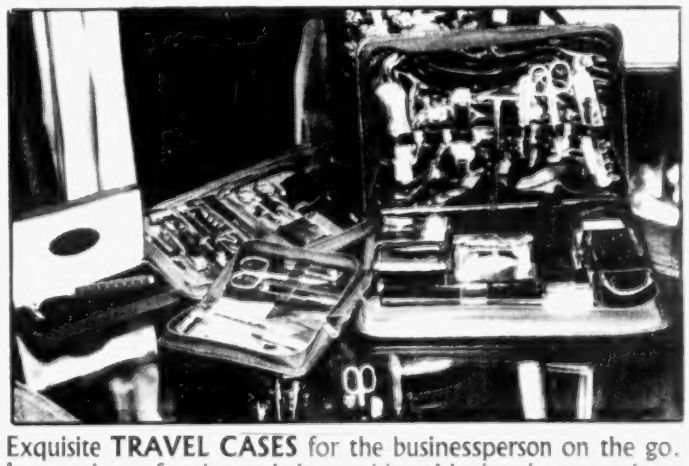
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**Linda G. Newman**

Linda G. Newman, daughter of Bryan and Kathleen Newman, 33 Farrwood Drive, Andover, has earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Management from Arizona State University.

She was an active member of the campus chapter National Association of Accountants.

Linda attended St. Augustine's and Andover High School. She is employed in the management development program in the Newman Gallery in Scottsdale, Arizona.

# Vacation Programs Offered

The Andover-North Andover YMCA has scheduled three holiday programs during the Christmas/New Year's school vacation weeks.The preschool (ages 3½-6 years) "Holiday Jubilee" will meet December 22, 23, 29 and 30 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Activities will include gym, crafts, storyime and swimming.

The youth (grades 1-6) "Holiday Jubilee" will meet from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. December 22, 23, 24, 26, 29, 30 and January 2. Activities will include creative crafts, team sports, recreational swim and a snow party, if the weather cooperates. Extended care is vailable from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. for working parents.

The YMCA is also offering a "New Year's Eve Overnight" for youths in grades 1-8. The overnight will begin at 7:30 p.m. New Year's Eve and end at 9 a.m. New Year's Day. Events include gym games, a movie, swimming, snacks and breakfast.

For further information and to register, contact the Andover-North Andover YMCA, 165 Haverhill St., Andover.

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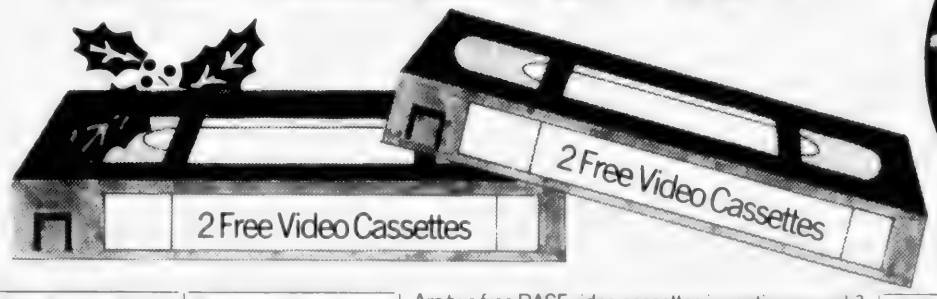
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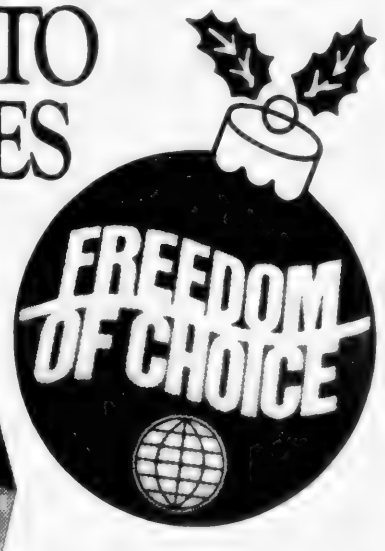
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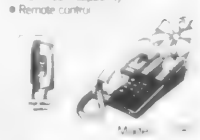
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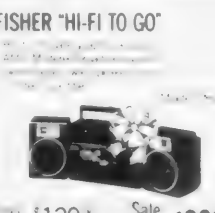
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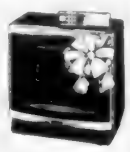
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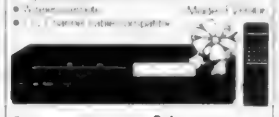
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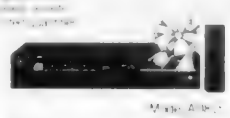
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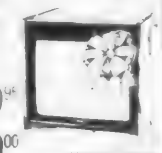
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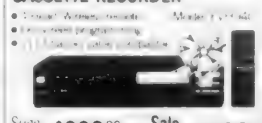
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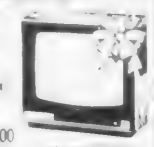
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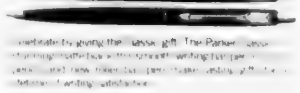
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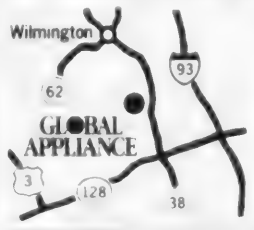


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# *High School 'Odyssey' Classes Explore Foreign Cultures*

**By Susan K. O'Neill**

*Monday morning, 9:10.*

*An ordinary classroom in the second-floor social studies section of Andover High School. Blackboard; desks; bulletin boards.*

*No students yet; class begins at 9:25. There are, however, three teachers: Craig Simpson, Kathleen Cook and John Willard pile materials on seven desks at various points in the room.*

*Seven "stations."*

*Each "station"—each pile of materials—has a label. "Art." "Science and Medicine." "Economy."*

*In the front row, Cook sets two, small, blue books atop a display labeled "Home and Family." They are approximately the size of coupon or ticket books of some sort; inside, their printed lines and cross-lines are blank.*

*Over the station marked "Government," in the back of the room, hangs a map of the world. The first thing you notice about it is that everything written on it—names of countries, legends, city indices—is in Chinese.*

*The map's second distinction is, at first glance, more subtle. It is the layout itself—the fact that China is in the middle, not North and South America.*

* * *

The map and the materials in the otherwise mundane classroom are props for a unique interdisciplinary course, available to seniors only, entitled "Odyssey." There are two "Odyssey" classes at Andover High School this year; a total of approximately 70 students participate.

On the surface, "Odyssey" is a full-year, two-period, in depth study of the cultures of four countries: Spain, South Africa, China and the U.S.S.R. The brainchild of a trio of teachers, it was instituted four years ago as a single course combining three separate disciplines—social studies, English and art.

Two of the program's originators, Craig Simpson (social studies) and Kathleen Cook (art), still teach the class. The third, English teacher Lynn Kelly, is now on a sabbatical leave; her Odyssey position is currently being filled by John Willard.

Beneath the course description, "Odyssey" is an exercise in thinking, researching, organizing and writing. The object of the program is not to give a student specific learning material, say the teachers. Rather, it is to help the student equip himself or herself to learn by questioning surface "facts" and looking beneath superficial appearances.

Accordingly, the students do much of the work in the program themselves. They lead classes; they hold group discussions. They are responsible for doing their research before class—and are not permitted to join discussions which would require that research if they are unprepared.



**Odyssey students Dave Doyle and Kristin Salvi examine Chinese artifacts while teacher Craig Simpson stands by**

"We want the kids to be responsible for their own learning," says Cook. "Not because we *tell* them to, but because they want to themselves."

* * *

*It is 9:25. The classroom is full.*

*Because it is the first day of the "China" module, the teachers pass out "Pre-Concept Sheets" to each student. On the mimeographed sheets are six questions—incomplete statements such as, "I think that most Chinese are—" and "Most Chinese people believe that—"*

*The students fill them out. They will not be graded, but will be used for future discussion.*

*Simpson breaks the students into seven groups; each circulates the room, stopping for a set time at each pre-set station and noting the contents of each pile for later discussion.*

*At the "Home and Family" display, a group member opens one of the little blue books. "What do you suppose this is used for?" he asks.*

*The other students shrug. Another picks up a snapshot of a Chinese child. "This picture is definite evidence that there are children in China," he says.*

*He squints at the photo, then adds, "And they wear green shorts."*

*Across the room, a member of another group jots down the group's observations about "Science and Medicine." What have you learned so far in this course, he is asked.*

*He considers. "I've learned that there's no absolute knowledge," he says. "You know—like nothing is real."*

* * *

According to Simpson, the course is designed to teach a student that there is, indeed, no clear-cut black and white to the world. "We want the kids to see that reality as they deal with it every day may be more fluid than they believe it is," he says.

Simpson says that the four subject countries were chosen to give the student the opportunity to research non-western attitudes, motivations and points of view.

The first unit, Spain, presents a relatively familiar country whose European attitudes are tempered by the Islamic influence of 700 years of Moorish occupation. During the three-week unit, students face the theories of Einstein; they read works by such writers as Gertrude Stein, Hemmingway and Lorca. They study the altered views of the world expressed in the works of artists like Picasso and Dali.

The experience of looking at the world through the eyes of pre-World War II physicists and philosophers can be jarring to students who have experienced little non-traditional coursework, Simpson says.

The separate disciplines fit together smoothly in the study process. For example, says art teacher Cook, for students who have been exposed to Einstein's theories concerning the relativity of time, "when they see Dali painting melting clocks, they can understand how time can actually melt."

Simpson says that, after the Spain unit, students in the course meet new ideas with less resistance than they would have at the outset of class.

South Africa, the second studied country, exemplifies the conflict between a non-western culture and the European colonial influence.

China, says Simpson, is used because it is a successful long-standing non-western civilization with an effective, and still evolving, Marxist government.

Finally, the U.S.S.R. features a different approach to Marxism and a culture that blends Asian and European influences.

The teachers stress that their students must study their material from all sides. In their recent take-home exam on South Africa, for instance, students were directed to write a letter from the viewpoint of a white South African who believed in apartheid—and to support their views with creditable research.

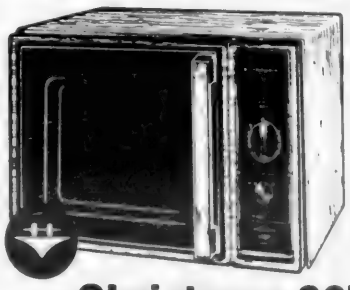
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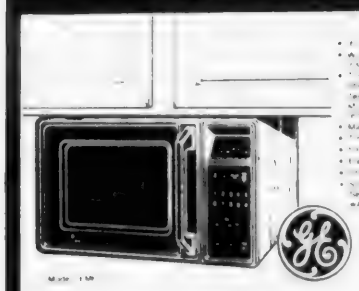


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**What's it like to be in school in that faraway country?**

**This week, fifth-grade students at South School are asking just those questions—and they're asking them of people who can actually answer them. Under the supervision of South School art teacher Dolores Dunning, the children are drawing self-portraits and pictures of their homes and sending them, along with letters describing life in the United States, to students of a similar class in Turkey.**

**The Turkish class is being taught by art teacher Theresa Constatino, who is on a two-year leave of absence from her South School position. The cultural exchange was her idea.**

**Photos, from right:**

**Sarah Paskowsky draws a picture of her home; Philip Smith and Glenn Wilson at work; Carrie Moran and Melanie McGarry; Mark Nazzaro and Adam McHale.**

**Townsman Photos by Susan O'Neill**









## *Doherty Doings*

# Basketball Tryouts Held

**By Michael Clement**

Tryouts were held for the Doherty Junior High School boys' basketball team. Fourteen students from grades eight and nine were selected for their ability in passing, dribbling and shotting. Boys in grade nine who made the team are Brian Boucher, Brian Donellan, Patrick Finn, Sean Gill, Alan Hanley, Hunter Lochmann, Matt MacVicar, Peter Reming and Steffan Tomlinson. Eighth grade players are Mark Barron, David Blank, Mark Dodge, Sean Finneran and Jeff Hurley. The first game will be played against the Greater Lawrence Technical School. Robert Hatem, science department, is the coach.

The girls' basketball team is coached by James Hurley, a physical education teacher. There are 15 girls on this remarkable team which won the Merrimack Valley Conference during the 1985-86 season. Ninth grade players include Dawn Bernard, Lisa Campbell, Laura Hebeisen, Erin Lynch, Nicole Ricci and Jodi Tangro. Eighth grade players are Bridget Guerrera, Maura Everett, Amy Habeeb, Elizabeth Hanson, Lisa Hayes, Nancy Hoffman, Keri Lynch, Bridgett Murphy and Tara Piantoni.

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## *Sanborn School Holiday Concert*

**Thursday night, students from Sanborn School entertained their parents and friends with a full schedule of vocal and instrumental holiday music.**

**Photos, from above left:**

**Orchestral director Stephen Heimlich counts time for his all-school Elementary Chamber String Ensemble; Sanborn School chorus members; String ensemble member Sam Pfeifle; Patricia Har treats the audience to a piano solo.**

**Townsman Photos by Susan O'Neill**





## Appears In 'Hamlet' Production

Steve Brown of Andover played the role of Claudius in a recent Fitchburg State College production of "Hamlet II."

Brown, a junior communications/media major, is a member of Stageright, the student theatre group at Fitchburg State. They presented five performances of the play.

A comic adaptation of the Shakespeare classic, "Hamlett II" was written by Sam Bobrick. As one student put it, "The plot is essentially the same, but it's a silly, racey version. Shakespeare might roll over in his grave, but he'd roll with laughter."

The play was directed by John Patrick McGrail, Jr., a professional actor with more than 50 plays to his credit.


**BABY TALK**



*by Jack Resnick*

When a new mother feels blue and thinks that her husband seems indifferent, there are two sides to consider. On the one hand, anyone who is depressed feels that other people are less friendly and affectionate. But on the other hand, it's natural for a father, being human, to feel left out when his wife and the rest of the household are completely wrapped up in the baby. So it's a sort of vicious circle. The mother (as if she didn't have enough to do already!) has to remember to pay some attention to her husband. And she should encourage him to share in the care of the baby

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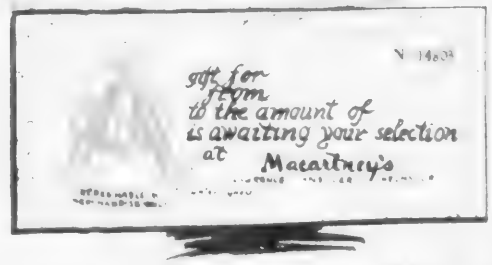
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## *Bancroft Holiday Cheer*

**The students of the Bancroft Elementary School entertained their parents with cheerful holiday music—both vocally and instrumentally. The program consisted of a chorus singing various holiday songs, the Bancroft band playing numerous others and a few selections from the Elementary String ensemble. Pictured clockwise from the upper left: Proud parents listen and watch intently as their children spread holiday cheer; A member of the string ensemble shows the determination and concentration prevalent in the performers; Chorus members patiently wait for the string ensemble to conclude their program; Chorus members sing a Christmas Carol; and Some of the boys attempt to act out one of the selections.**

**Townsman Photos by Karen L. Day**





# A Dream Becomes Reality

**By Matt McKinnon**

Arriving at school after first period and leaving at the end of seventh period sounds like a dream to many students, but at Andover High School, this dream has become a reality. On October 3, Andover High's student government passed the final proposal on "open ends."

Seniors who have obtained an unweighted grade point average of a B or higher and have avoided any major disciplinary infractions are granted the privilege.

The student government and faculty had diverse opinions on the eligibility requirements: whether a weighted or unweighted grade point average should be used, the severity of the disciplinary infractions involved, and whether or not attendance should be included in the election process. Therefore, three meetings, including one special session, were held in order to compromise on a final proposal. Two days after the final proposal was determined, "open ends" went into effect.

Stephen C. Richardson, assistant principle, is strongly in favor of the policy, "as long as the standards are high, so students are forced to strive hard for the privilege."

About 30 percent of the senior class now qualify, although any senior who can meet the requirements after the first marking term will receive it. On the other hand, a student can lose this opportunity if he fails to maintain his eligibility.

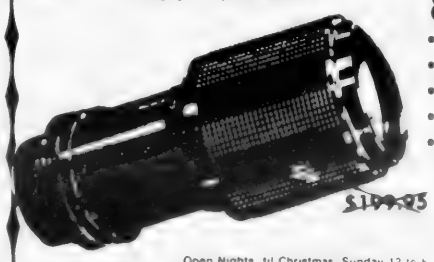
So far, the students have enjoyed the use of "open ends.'

"The extta time in the morning really helps," says Mark Neaves.

Brian Lannon likes the idea for "it allows me some time to relax and use the extra time to work at my job."

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## *Doherty Junior High Holiday Concert*

Tuesday night, Doherty Junior High School students welcomed in the holiday season with voices, strings and bells at their annual holiday concert.

The Doherty Junior High Strings and the All Town Orchestra, both under the direction of Stephen Heimlich, opened the program. They were followed by the 61-piece Doherty band, conducted by Steven Piermarini.

The 7th grade chorus, 8th and 9th grade girls' chorus, boys' chorus, and combined choral ensemble also performed a number of carols, under the direction of Keith Gould.

After a performance by the Handbell Choir, the audience joined the combined choruses in a Christmas carol sing-along.

Photos, from above left:

At least one member of the All-Town Orchestra dresses for the occasion; Jessica Wrobel sings "O Holy Night"; Allen Soong accompanies the chorus; Bell ringers Alaina Schroeder and Jessica Wrobel.

Townsman Photos by Susan O'Neill





# Western Roundup

**By Carrie Lumley**

The year at West Junior High School is quickening as it nears Christmas vacation. Many more students and teachers are getting involved with school activities. The student body thought up and brought about the Activity Night on Friday. This was a huge success. A great deal of students wish to have it become a regular activity like our dances. Another theme day is scheduled for December 19, followed by a dance at night. The theme for this social event is to have everyone dress in red and green.

The ninth grade yearbook staff elected Elizabeth Block and Jennifer Richardson as their chief editors. We are sure they will make this the best yearbook West has ever seen.

Dr. Gordon, a well-known sex analyst, talked to ninth graders from East and West on the topic of love on Friday, Dec. 12. The main theme was centered around "how can you tell if you are really in love?" He first explained what his philosophy is, told us lines to say to your boyfriend or girlfriend if you are in a sticky situation and went deeper into answering the question. A point he stressed was leaving the lines of communication open with your children when you are a parent. Some say talking to teenagers is like talking to a wall. This is only true if the adult does not express what they feel in a dictative way and does not express what they feel in a way teenagers will want to listen to, such as talking about a serious topic humorously.

## Singles

Singles Lifeline, New England's largest singles social network, presents a Saturday Night Singles Spectacular on January 10 from 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Sheraton Rolling Green Hotel in Andover.

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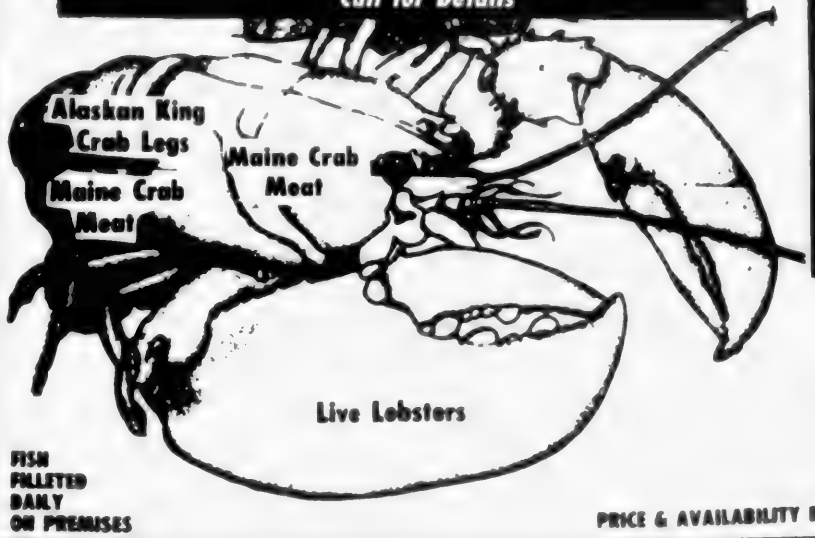


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Dr. Aubrey Thomas of the biology department will teach Plants and Civilization, a course designed for non-majors which will emphasize the impact of plants upon civilizations past and present, including present day world food problems. Dr. Michael Lyons, adjunct lecturer and a member of the Boston University faculty, will teach a course on the Biological Perspectives on Schizophrenia. The course will provide an in-depth examination of the phenomenology, theories, etiology and diagnostic isseus related to schizophrenia.

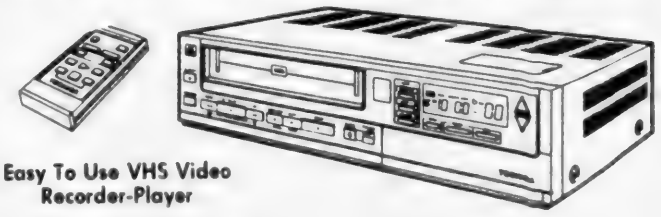
The minority-dominant relationships which exist in the United States, a continuing feature of the dynamic contemporary American society, will be examined and possible resolutions presented in the Minority Group Relations course taught by Prof. Frederick Peterson of the sociology department.

Modern China, a course which examines internal and foregin policy developments in China since 1840, with particular emphasis on the period since 1949, will be taught by Asian specialist, Dr. Bruce Stronach. American Campaigns and Elections, focusing on voting behavior, fund-raising, the role of the media and campaign ethics, will be presented by Dr. Eugene Declercq. Declercq and Stronach are members of the political science department.

Dr. Howard Shaffer, adjunct lecturer from the Harvard University Department of Psychiatry, will teach an introductory course on addictive behaviors. The course will focus on basic biological and biochemical concepts, clinical assessment and diagnosis and treatment strategies.

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# College Plans Tour Of Italy

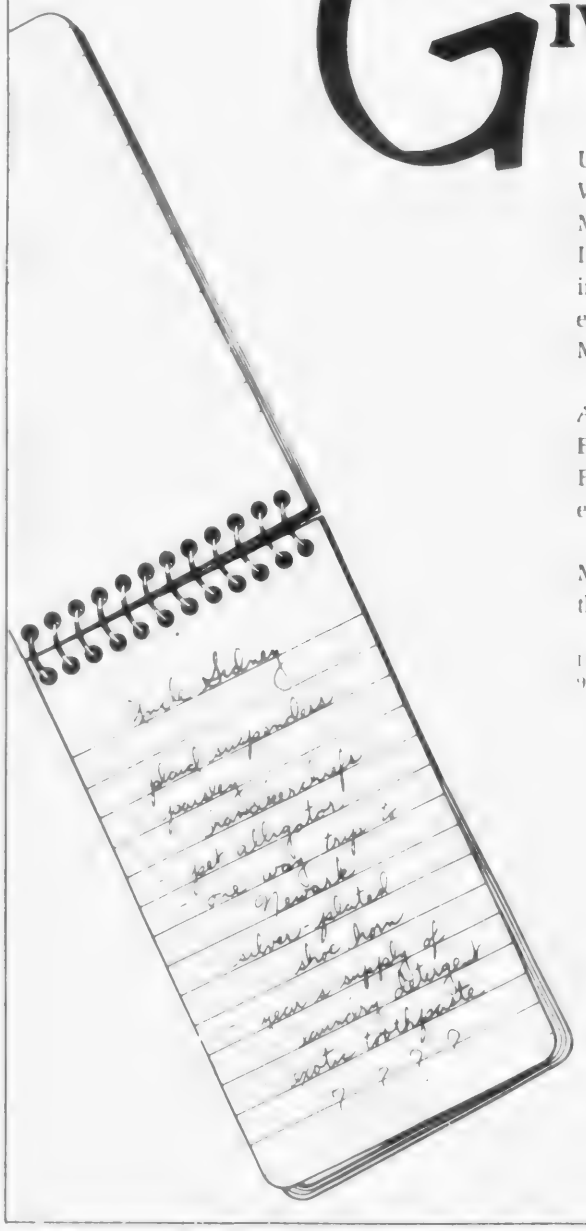
A 10-day tour of Italy is being organized by the Merrimack College Department of Modern Languages.

Prof. Conrado Collazo and Mrs. Linda Pomerleau will lead the trip with departure from Boston on Thursday, March 12, and return on Sunday, March 22.

The trip is open to any interested person as well as to members of the college community, alumni and friends. The price includes round-trip international air travel from Boston and all surface transportaion in Italy, hotel accommodations, two meals a day, all tips and all sightseeing and entertainment as specified in the itinerary.

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A First Night Button supports the cost of the celebration and provides general admission to events. Admission to most indoor programs is on a first-come/first-serve basis. There is no guaranteed seating.

A bus will leave from the rear parking lot of the Town Offices at 7 p.m. and return by approximately 1 a.m. Drop off and pick-up in Boston will be in the waterfront area.

A sample of events: classical, Yale Russian Chorus, St. Cantata Singers, Dinnosaur Annex, American Guild of Organists, Boston Shawm & Sackbut Ensemble; jazz, Tony Vacca and Tim Moran, Aardvard; traditional, folk and ethnic, Northern Lights, Sophia Bilides Greek Ensemble, Eurasian Ensemble, Klezmer Conservatory Band; dance performances by the Berkshire Ballet, Concert Dance Co., Solomon's Seal, Danny Sloan Dance Co., Ramon de los Reyes Spanish Dance Theatre;, outdoor and environmental art at City Hall Plaza, Boston Common and Copley Square: storefront window performances at various sites and street surprises throughout the city.

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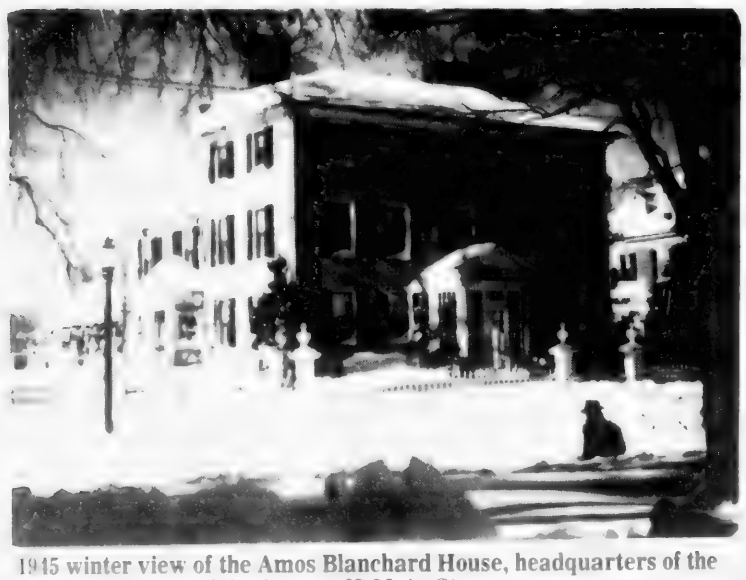
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# Historical Tours Scheduled

By Barbara Thibault

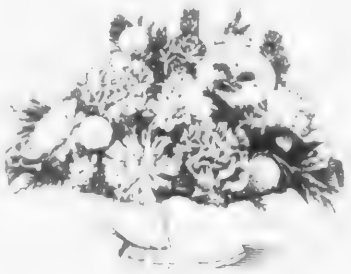
[illegible] much is happening at the Andover Historical Society. Tours at the Amos Blanchard House Museum are between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Sundays and Wednesdays or any day by appointment. A new [illegible] type program introduces the tour, led by trained museum guides. The current exhibit "Religious Life in Andover," has received rave reviews. It will continue through February 23. Viewing hours are Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

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"Extra Murals: Larger-Than-Life Works by New England Artists," organized by DeCordova Museum, Lincoln, opened at the Federal Reserve Bank, 600 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, on November 24 and will remain on view through January 2.

The DeCordova Museum has consistently brought the work of New England's most talented artists to the forefront. "Extra Murals" recognizes the work of 14 New England artists. The artists represent a wide range of stylistic differences, incorporating imagery that varies from a panoramic collection of visual thoughts to the magnification of a single object. An audiovisual program about the creation and installation of Adam Cvijanovic's massive exterior construction mural is on view in conjunction with the exhibition.

According to John McNamara, one of the featured artists, "Large scale offers the opportunity for drama and the chance for the painter and the viewer to be immersed in a pictorial experience." Roger Kizik's large-scale work emerges from a feeling that "Boston needed some large pictures that were unabashedly exotic to reaffirm the area's romantic past."

Additional artists represented are Gerry Bergstein, Christopher Cook, Carolee Adelson, Art Gallery, Andover, Gina Fiedel, Rick Harlow, Martha Lloyd, John Murray, Paul Oberst, Peter Rappoli, Charles Roques, Michael Russo, Marguerite Walsh and Nan Wezniak.

Joan Brager of Andover, curator of the exhibition, conducted a lunchtime tour and talk at the Federal Reserve Bank Gallery on December 16. The gallery is open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.


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# Estate Planning Program Set

The impact of recent federal and state laws on state planning and an examination of various options in family estate planning will be covered in a special half-day program at the Sheraton Rolling Green Conference Center/Inn in Andover on Saturday, Jan. 31.

Alexander A. Bove, Jr., financial columnist for **The Boston Globe**, and a panel of experts in state planning from the accounting, legal, banking and insurance professions will head the program. A case study approach will be used.

The program is designed for the public, attorneys, certified public accountants, chartered life underwriters and bank and private trust officers.

The Merrimack Valley and Boston Estate Planning Councils and Northern Essex Community College's Center for Business and Industry are co-sponsoring the program.

The councils are associations of estate, business and financing planning professions which provide information to the public through services and other programs.

Registration information can be obtained by contacting the college or by writing to Center for Business and Industry, NECC, Haverhill, MA 01830.

Among the subjects to be examined: The Federal Tax Act's effect on state planning; how trusts work; relationship between probate and trusts; selecting financial and state planning advisors; protecting family assets from claims of creditors and nursing homes; living wills and durable powers of attorney and health insurance considerations at retirement.

In addition to Bove, panelists are Erik R. Brown, CLU, Atlantic Benefit Company Group, Inc.; Susan Davies, CPA; Charles M. Hamann, Casner, Edwards and Roseman; and Jeanne M. Hession, vice president, Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.

## At Conference

As part of Cedardale Athletic Club's ongoing education program, marketing diretors Alice Chamberlin, Joan Morrison, Esther Jako and Donna DeGregorio, senior manager Greg Herbert and owners Zoe and Ed veasy, attended a New England Racquet Sports Association conference led by Bill Scott from the University of New Hampshire, Durham. His presentation was on the theory of active persuasion and was concluded by a panel discussion.

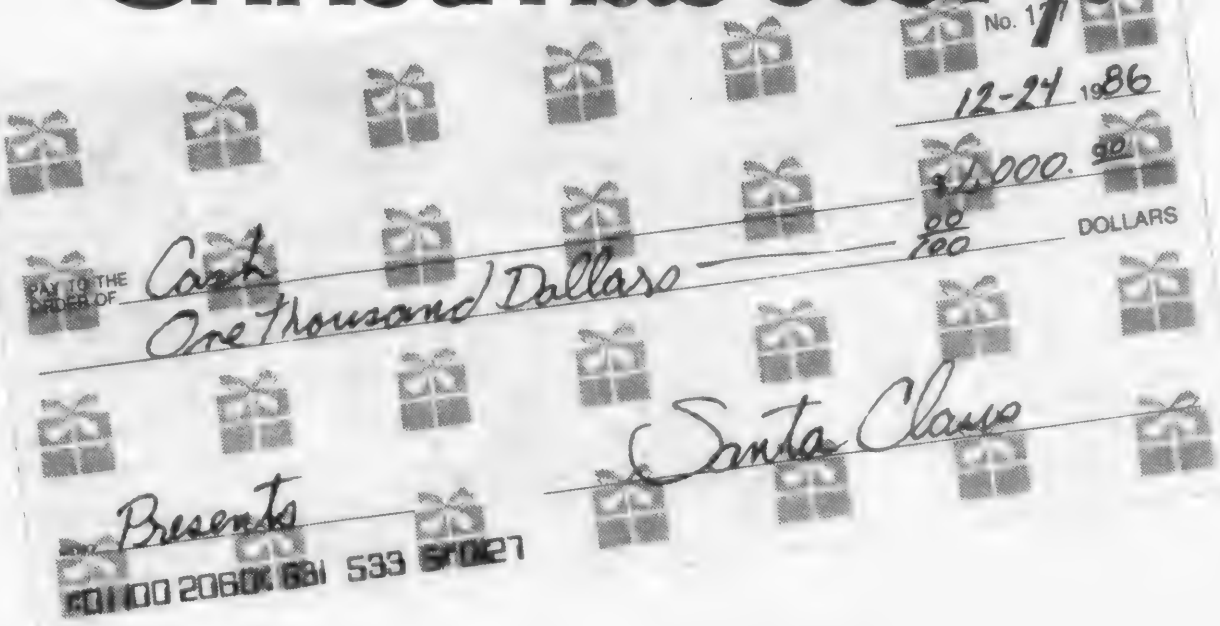
This was one of the many local and national conferences Cedardale staffers attend in an effort to constantly update their education and improve services to club members.

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The Sanborn Brownie Troop 741 created a Mitten Tree Banner for the Andover Christmas Parade. The mittens were donated by the Brownies for the children of Bread and Roses. Shown here from left to right (bottom row) Melissa Portorreal, Lisa Zonghetti, Jamie Lipman, Sara Reef, Sarah Witman, Ilana Gordon, (second row) Susanne Dalby, Melissa Small, Andrea Zizzo, Sarah Plamondon, Suzanne Leonard, Lisa Jayne and (third row) Marissa Feinberg, Gwen Schmuhl, Heather Young, Emily Wegner and Lauren Sweeney. Troop leaders are Joan Sweeney and Barbara Zizzo.

## Promoted

Navy Lt. J.g. Mark S. Koromhas, son of William and Vera Koromhas, 9 Abbot Bridge Drive, Andover, has been promoted to his present rank while serving aboard guided missile cruiser USS Josephus Daniels, homeported in Norfolk, VA.

## Fun Fest

Looking for something to do during vacation? Enjoy four days of free family fun with the Lawrence Heritage State Park's Vacation Fun Festival at the Visitors' Center, corner of Jackson and Canal Streets. Reservations are required.

A variety of children films, recommended for 7-13 years, will be shown Monday, Dec. 29, at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Storyteller Sharon Kennedy and native Nigerian Onye Onyemaechi will enchant ages 5 and up with African stories, drumming and dance on Tuesday, Dec. 20, at 10 a.m.

More children's films for 7-13 years, including "Amazing Cosmic Awareness of Duffy Moon" and the "Case of the Elevator Duck," will be shown at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 2.

Cheeso the Clown will delight all ages with his clown antics and magic tricks on Saturday, Jan. 3, at 10 a.m.

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# First In-Hospital Hospice Unit Opens At LGH

The Merrimack Valley's first in-hospital hospice unit is opening at Lawrence General Hospital as a result of cooperative efforts between the hospital and VNA HomeCare Hospice over the past several years to care for terminally ill patients. The new unit includes two patient rooms and a family room exclusively for hospice use.

"This inpatient hospice unit represents a unique sharing of a patient care philosophy," explains Janet Miller, LGH director of nursing. "Our nurses have received special training in the hospice philosophy so Lawrence General and VNA HomeCare Hospice can offer patients and their families outstanding coordination of care. The hospice rooms have been warmly decorated to offer a truly homelike setting."

The unit was made possible by a donation by Evelyn and Harry Axelrod of Andover. The rooms contain a bed, bedside table, overbed table, chairs, drapes and color television. A carpeted family room across the hall offers family members amenities for overnight or brief stays, including upholstered furniture, a microwave oven, refrigerator, color television and private bathroom facilities.

"The arrangment between Lawrence General and VNA HomeCare Hospice is only the second such arrangement in Massachusetts," says Constance Carroll, director of VNA HomeCare Hospice. "The hospital will be providing care for hospice patients in acute situations, within the umberella of services VNA Homecare Hospice arranges for its patients."

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## Potpourri Schedules Two Films

The Andover Cable Advisory Committee sponsors the Potpourri film series on Andover Public Access Channel 11. Two films will run December 29-January 1 during the 30-minute program. "Connecticut School Library Media Programs," an overview of the role that school library media programs serve in Connecticut schools, and "Happiness of Being Loved: Paintings by Felix Labisse," an illustration of the metamorphosis of women in his surrealist work, will be shown Monday at 10 a.m., Tuesday at 2 p.m., Wednesday at 4 p.m. and Thursday at 7 p.m.

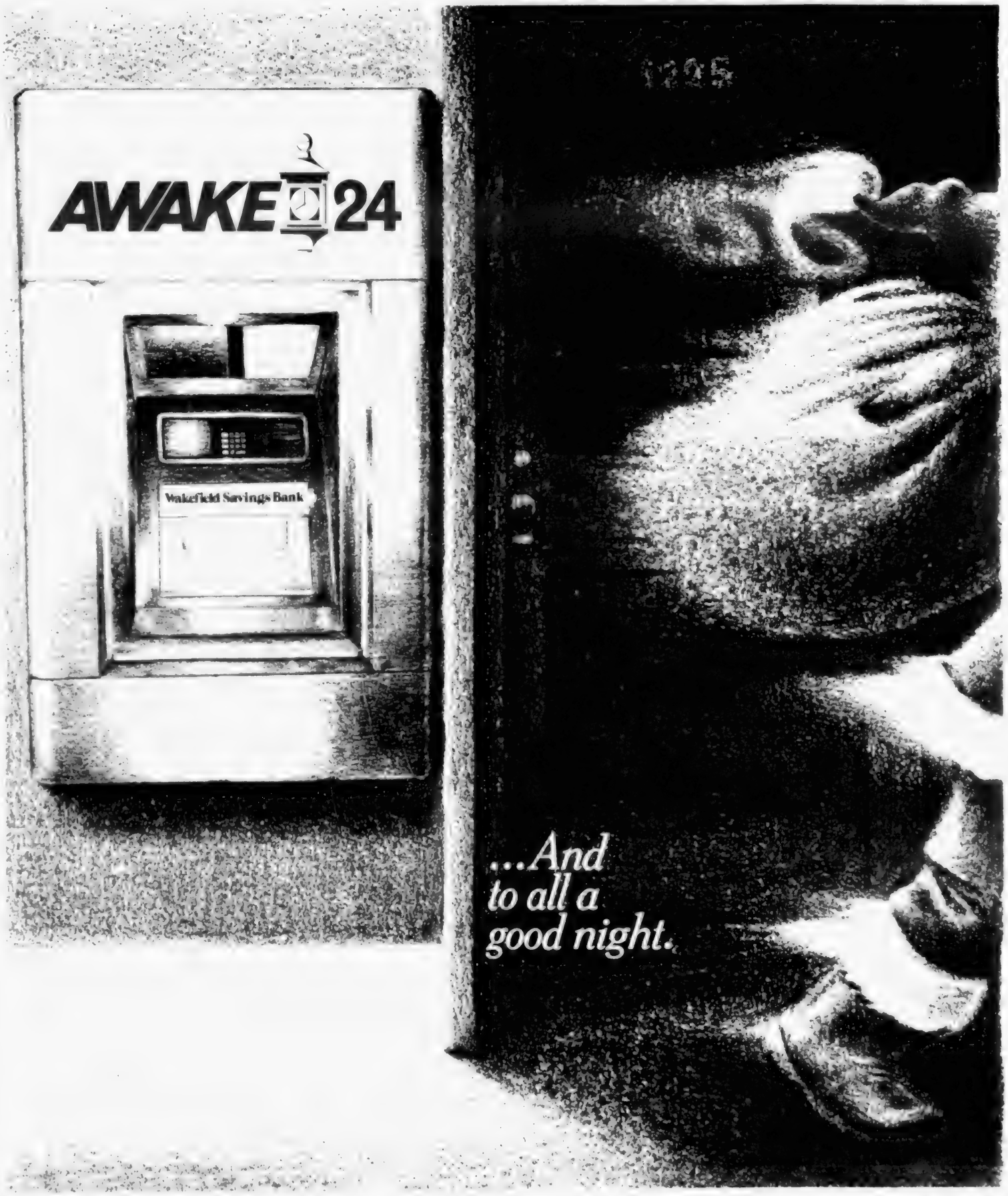
## Babysitter Course Set

The Regional Health Center in Wilmington's community health education department will hold a babysitter training course for boys and girls, 11-15 years old, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 29, 30 and 31, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Topics include fire and home safety, telephone tips, ethics and contracts, diapering, basic first aid and chokesaving skills. It emphasizes emergency care and accident prevention.

Pre-registration is required.

The Regional Health Center in Wilmington is a division of Choate-Symmes Health Services.



# Andover Dogs Win Prizes

Andover residents Peter and Romona Fine are the owners of some top dogs.

Three Affenpinchers they own won prizes at the Bay Colony Cluster of Dog Shows, four days of shows involving more than 6,000 canines that was held recently at the Bayside Expo Center.

A pair of their Affenpinchers won a prize in the Toy Group at Eastern Dog Club Show, one of the four shows, and another of their dogs won third place in the individual dog judging in the Toy Group at the North Shore Kennel Club Show.

The pair, Ch.' Hilane's Procyon and Ch.' Osgood Farm's Bootes, won a third prize in the brace judging of the Toy Group. (Ch.' indicates champion dog.) A brace is two dogs of the same breed competing together, with the ideal brace moving fluidly as one.

Hilane's Alpha Centauri is the Affenpincher that competed individually.

Show dogs are given complicated names to distinguish them from the thousands of others competing.

Affenpinchers, called German "Monkey Dogs" because of their large dark eyes, whiskers and bushy eyebrows, were traditionally used as ratters on boats and dock areas.

The Bay Colony Cluster of Dog Shows was sponsored by the Middlesex County Kennel Club, Ladies Dog Club, Eastern Dog Club and North Shore Kennel Club. This is the second year of the cluster of shows featuring breed and obedience judging. Each show was independent and had its own judging and winners.

There are four winners in each of the seven variety groups: herding, hound, non-sporting, sporting, terrier and toy, and most groups have one to three brace categories of competition within each varity group. Dogs were judged first by breed, then breed winners compete by group. All judging is based on standards of perfection set by the American Kennel Club.



**Glenn Driscoll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Driscoll, 12 Boston Road, and Brian Rittershaus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fran Rittershaus, 23 Timothy Drive, enjoy making breakfast in their Home Economics class at Doherty Junior High School for the rest of their class.**

## Auditions

Boston Children's Theatre Winter into Spring Term of theatre workshops for young people 8-18 will begin January 17. Registration will take place January 12-16. Classes are offered in acting technique, scene study, creative drama, musical theatre, audition preparation. All students are eligible to audition for the performing companies.


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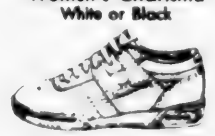
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**Andover's South School second grade Brownie Troop 339 of Andover had a special visitor to a recent December meeting, Nancy Stewart, also known as "Jelly Bean the Clown." Ms. Stewart, a teacher of several classes on theatrical disguise and make up for children in the Arts Workshop For Children, Inc. of North Reading, was invited by Troop Leader Jean Palmer to explain some special demands, uses and care of theatrical make-up. Her lecture included demonstrating the basic makeup of three different kinds of clowns on three members of the troop. The photo includes Ms. Stewart and the "made up" members of the troop: (starting on the upper left) Sarak Kramer, daughter of Michael and Karen Kramer, Radcliff Drive; Ms. Stewart, "Jelly Bean The Clown"; Nicole Carpentier, daughter of Kim and Patricia Carpentier, Orchard Crossing Road; and Cara Daly, daughter of Michael and Laura Daly, Redgate Drive.**

### Gets Grant

Bradford College has received a $227,500 challenge grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH).

The grant will allow the college to institute additional innovations in its writing program and provide salary support for staff, faculty and student tutors in the program.

The grant has also made it possible to establish the Dorothy Bell Chair in Writing which caries a $2,000 annual stipend for research and curriculum development in the teaching of writing and critical thinking.

The Chair holds a particular significance for the college because it serves as a lasting tribute to Dorothy Bell, president of Bradford for 27 years.

The NEH challenge grant, which Bradford must match with three dollars in private donation for each dollar of the grant, is awarded to help institutions improve the quality and financial stability of their humanities programs.

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# Budget

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cial programs.

Poore cautioned that the committee should "not expend the administration's time to frustrating ends" by asking for their suggestions about what could be done to improve the schools, only to tell them that it can't be done financially. With that, she suggested another meeting between the committee, the Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen in order to honestly and frankly discuss budgeting.

Joanne Marden, Chairman of the Finance Committee, commented that for the last couple of years, early projections regarding the school budget have been accurate and that nothing has changed since the three groups met in October.

"We do have a predictable income, whether we like it or not," stated Poore, asking the administration to present a budget proposal in the ball-park of expected funds, rather than proposing all the things they would *like* to have.

Committeman David Birnbach countered that "I think we need something drastic," adding that training is the most important element in the budget. The need for training does not mean that anyone is incompetent, according to Birnbach, it is simply a means for the schools to stay up to date with developments outside the classroom that may affect the education of Andover's students.

Robb agreed, adding that "The most important commodity we have is the staff."

The proposed budget, with a 12 percent total increase, allots about $300,000 to staff development, but it is expected that there will only be around $80,000 made available in an approved budget, which will probably allow around 6 percent total increase over this year's budget.

Again Poore commented that she would rather not raise hope with a proposed budget that is unrealistic and would prefer one within the realm of possibility. Seifert agreed that if people are told to come up with ideas for improvement, you get them enthusiastic only to let them down due to financial constraints.

Seifert continued, stating that there has been no overall curriculum revision in 15 years and that about 90 percent of Andover's curriculum is simple comprehension and recall.

Robb restated Giammusso's idea that since it is unlikely that much funding will be available for additional staff, it may be possible to put a few more children in each class in order to free up teachers for special programs like the Paideia seminars.

Around 2000 B.C. the Sumerians, in what is now southern Iraq, made the earliest recorded astronomical observations. These are references to eclipses of the moon that possibly occurred in 2095 and 2053 B.C.

## Shawsheen Art Work On Display

Seventeen children from Sindy Weiss' art class at the Shawsheen Early Childhood Center have turned the Shawsheen Village post office into an exhibit hall this month with their drawings, watercolors, prints and collages.

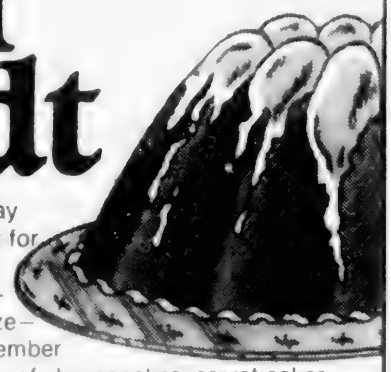
Works of the following five- and six-year-old artists are now on display in the foyer:

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Justin Lau
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# Atkins Chosen For Foreign Affairs Group

Congressman Chet Atkins was chosen for a position on the House Foreign Affairs Committee by the House Steering and Policy Committee. The nomination, coming on a close vote, will be followed by the formality of a caucus vote before being sworn in with the 100th Congress. He was also elected a Democratic Whip for all the New England states.

As a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee, Atkins will be able to develop many of the initiatives he has had to pursue through other members of the committee during the first two years. The first major order of business will be the ongoing hearings on the Iranian-cash for hostages for Contras fiasco. When reached for comment, Atkins remarked, "I hope that the administration will offer complete access to all pertinent information so that the guilty may be brought to justice and we may proceed with the more important issues before the nation." Other areas he hopes to focus his attention on are support of the Democratic Cerezo Government in Guatemala and the fight for land reform that is ongoing.

## Slide Show

The Cedardale Sports Club is sponsoring a slide presentation by Marion Stoddart, owner of Outdoor Vacations for Women over 40, on January 6 at 7 p.m. at the club on 931 Boston Road, Haverhill.

Her slides are of participants who have llama trekked, hot air ballooned and fished in Colorado, cross-country skied, rafted and hiked in Yellowstone National Park, rafted and explored Indian ruins in New Mexico, biked on Block Island and pursued a variety of other activities on weekends and five-day junkets in New England.

The public is invited. Admission is free and refreshments will be served. For further information, contact Barbara Good at Cedardale.

## Seat Belts

According to Public Health Commissioner Dr. Bailus Walker, Jr., the seat belt referendum has left some citizens confused about what Massachusetts law requires.

While Massachusetts law no longer requires seat belt use for persons five years of age and older, young children continue to be protected by the Child Passenger Safety law enacted in 1982. This law requires children under five to be secured in a properly adjusted safety seat or seat belt and allows law enforcmenet officers to stop a driver solely because a young child is not buckled up. The fine for violation of the Child Passenger Safety law is $25.

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## Alumni Game

The Northern Essex Community men's and women's basketball teams will challenge alumni from previous teams in the annual alumni basketball game on Saturday, Dec. 20. The women's game will begin at 5 p.m. and the men's at 7 p.m. in the college's gymnasium. The public is invited.

## Lecture

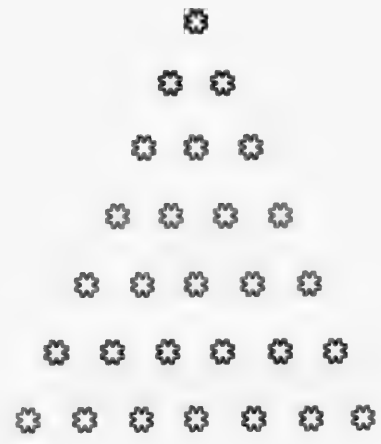
The Northeastern Section of the American Chemical Society (NEACS) and Boston Museum of Science will present a free two-part chemistry lecture and demonstration at the Cahners Theatre, Boston Museum of Science, at 7:45 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 29.

The first speaker will be Dr. Hubert N. Alyea, professor of chemistry, emeritus, at Princeton University. Dr. Bassam Z. Shakhashiri will give a lecture featuring demonstrations.

Admission is free, but send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Holiday Lecture, Northeastern Section ACS, 42 Janet Road, Newton Center, Mass. 02159.

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Rev. James Diamond, rector of Christ Church, said, "The whole thing was thrilling. The coming together of 20 million people simultaneously is a space age Epiphany, especially when we realize how small and interrelated the human community is."

A dramatic "Spacebridge of the America" linked Boston, Denver, Des Moines, San Francisco and Los Angeles with the capitol cities of Mexico, Panama, Colombia and Venezuela where the awards were presented to President Miguel de la Madrid, President Eric Arturo Del-Valle, President Virgilio Barco Vargas and President Jaime Lusinchi, respectively.

The Boston audience at the Berklee Performance Center watched Panamanian Foreign Minister Jorge Abadia Aria represent his country as concurrent ceremonies in each of the other cities honored the Contadora group for its continuing efforts to achieve peace in Central America through negotiations rather than military action. All nine ceremonies were projected simultaneously to each of the cities by means of the highly sophisticated satellite link-up.

Previous recipients of the Beyond War Foundation's annual award have been the leaders of the Five Continent Peace Initiative (1985), the International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War (1984) and the National Conference of Catholic Bishops (1983).

Beyond War is a four-year-old, non-partisan, non-profit grassroots movement with headquarters in Palo Alto, Calif. More than 10,000 volunteers throughout the United States and several other countries have responded to its commitment to conflict resolution without the use of violence.

Local beyond war volunteer Elizabeth Case Drake of Andover described the award ceremony as "deeply moving. The technical marvel of the satellite link-up allows us to experience the sisterhood and brotherhood of humanity on a profound level and encourages us to trust each other to work together to learn to survive peacefully." Information about beyond war may be obtained by calling her.

A survey by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service found nearly half of the adult population observed, photographed or fed wildlife while at home.



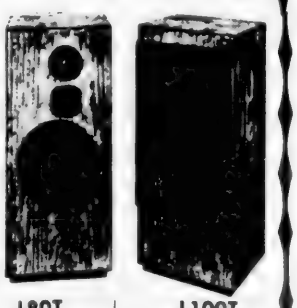
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Here are tips for holiday shoppers:

Avoid window shopping when behind the wheeel of a car, no matter how festive the displays and shop windows.

Don't pile packages so high in the back seat that the rear-view window is blocked.

Remain alert for traffic lights. Don't mistake brightly colored Christmas lights for traffic lights.

Watch out for bundle-loaded pedestrians. Many shoppers are so loaded down with packages that their vision is obscured and movements restricted when they cross the street.

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# Local Firm Honors Employees



NETWORL Special award winners, from left, D. Max McConkey, director; David Zacchei, Jim Hadley, Lynne Haddock, Michael Mayo and David Crandall, president.

The NETWORK, Inc., an educational service firm in Andover, presented awards of recognition to several of its employees in an awards ceremony this month.

Recognized for exemplary work "above and beyond the call of duty," as perceived by their colleagues, were the following Super-Merit award winners: Lynne Haddock of Andover, receptionist; Patricia Bales of Sndover, word processing specialist and administrative assistant; Rick Basom of Groton, policy team leader for The Regional Laboratory for Educational Improvement of the Northeast and Islands; Mary Poulin of Andover, resource specialist; Janet Angelis of Groveland, communications specialist for The Regional Laboratory for Educational Improvement for the Northeast and Islands; and Clif Lund-Rollins of North Andover, word processing specialist. Each was awarded a certificate of recognition and a salary increase.

The firm also presented several special awards. The 1986 Excellence Award was presented to Denise Blumenthal of Auburndale, a project director. James Hadley of East Hampstead, N.H., The NETWORK controller, and Michael Mayo of Boston, senior management associate, were recognized with Leadership Awards. David Zacchei of Tewksbury, management associate, Blumenthal and Susan Mundry of Newburyport, project director, were given a gift certificate for dinner in recognition for their generation of sales over the past year. The President's Award for Special Achievement for 1986 went to Haddock for her superb service best exemplifying corporate goals and ideals.

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# Named Marriott Manager

William K. Skoglund, formerly regional director of rooms for the Marriott Hotel New England region, has been appointed general manager of the new Andover Marriott.

The hotel, located near the junction of Routes 93 and 495, is scheduled to open in mid-December.

Skoglund has been with Marriott for 12 years and has worked in Stamford as front office manager, in Newton as director of services, Springfield, and Twin Bridges, Washington, as resident manager.

Skogland and his wife, Beth, live in Haverhill and have two children, Alison 6, and Shannon, 2.


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Graduates of these free courses receive a Certificate of Competency in the Safe Handling of Firearms. This state certificate serves two legal purposes: it allows yong men and women between the ages of 15 and 18 to hunt alone on thier first hunting license in Massachusetts and the certificate is honored by every U.S. state and Canadian province where hunter safety training is mandatory to purchase a hunting license.

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# Named To Medical Staff

William L. Lane, president/chief executive officer, Bon Secours Hospital in Methuen, recently annonced new appointments to the hospital's medical staff. Randendra N. Chatterjee, M.D., was appointed to the associate medical staff, department of medicine, with privileges in physical and rehabilitative medicine. He received his medical degree from Prince of Wales Medical College in India and performed his residency at the Boston University Medical Center. Chatterjee is a member of New England Neurological Associates in North Andover.

James N. DeVita, M.D., was also appointed to the associate medical staff, department of medicine. He has privileges in internal medicine. DeVita received his medical degree from the University of Massachusetts and performed his internship and residency at Saint Vincent Hospital in Worcester. Board certified, he has a privae practice in Andover.

Ashok Kumar Joshi, M.D., was appointed to the associate medical staff, department of ambulatory services, with privileges in emergency medicine. He received his medical degree from Mahadevappa Rampure College in India. Joshi performed his internship at the University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, Neb., and his residency at University Hospital in Washington, D.C. He was an assistant professor for interns and residents in emergency medicine at the Upstate Medical Center, Syracuse, N.Y.

Lawrence M. Lerman, D.O., has been appointed to the associate medical staff, department of pediatrics. He received his medical degree from the Michigan State University of Osteopathic Medicine. Certified by the American Board of Osteopath-Pediatrics, Lerman performed his residency at Martin Place Osteopathic Hospital and William Beaumont Hospital in Michigan. He has a private practice in Methuen.

Also appointed to the associate medical staff was Mai Tai Nguyen, M.D., in the department of medicine, with privileges in hematology, oncology and internal medicine. He received his medical degree from the University of Sai Gon in Viet Nam and performed his internship at Hurley Medical College, Flint, Mich. Nguyen performed his residency at Albany Medical Center, Albany, N.Y., and Mercy Medical Center & Hospital, DeMoines, Iowa. He has a private practice in Lawrence.

Another new appointment to the associate medical staff was George M. Walker in the department of surgery, with privileges in general and vascular surgery. He received his medical degree from the University of Vermont College of Medicine, Burlington, Vt. Walker performed his internship and residency at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston. Board certified, he has a private practice in Andover.


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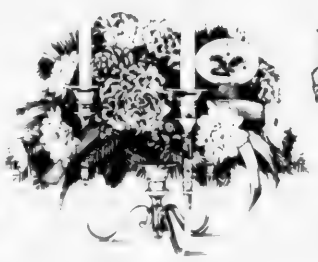
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The Department of Community Services has planned two family trips for winter school vacation. The Monday, Dec. 29, trip to see the Boston Ballet's performance of the "Nutcracker" has been sold out; However, call to be put on the waiting list for a second bus or in case of cancellations.

Registrations are being accepted for the Edaville Railroad trip on Tuesday, Dec. 30. The bus will leave the rear of Town Offices at 2 p.m. and return at approximately 9 p.m. See the park's fabulous festival of holiday lights on a one-half hour train ride, visit the petting zoo, try all the rides and get a last chance to meet Santa before he heads back to the North Pole. Register at the DCS office, Bartlet Street, Monday through Friday between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Seats are limited. Registration deadline is Friday, Dec. 26.

### Employment

The Department of Community Services offers college-age individuals employment opportunities during the summer months, including Drop-In, Preschool, All-Day and Special Needs playground leaders, lifeguards and swimming instructors. College students interested in part-time or full-time summer employment can fill out an application at the DCS office in the Town Office Building on Bartlet Street during Christmas vacation Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

### Ski Trips

Department of Community Services has planned a chaperoned weekend ski trip for March 6-8 for junior high students at Gunstock Mountain, Gilford, N.H. The trip includes round-trip transportation, lodging at Inn of All Seasons, just 15 minutes from the mountain, one dinner, two breakfasts and a two-day lift ticket. Registration forms and more details are available at the junior high schools and DCS office.

The Department of Community Services is also sponsoring a chaperoned high school weekend ski trip to Killington, Vt., a six-mountain, alpine skiing experience, February 27-March 1. The cost includes two nights lodging at the Trail Side Lodge, just 12 minutes from the slopes, one dinner, two breakfasts and round-trip transportation and a two-day lift ticket. Registration forms and more information are available at the high school and the DCS office.

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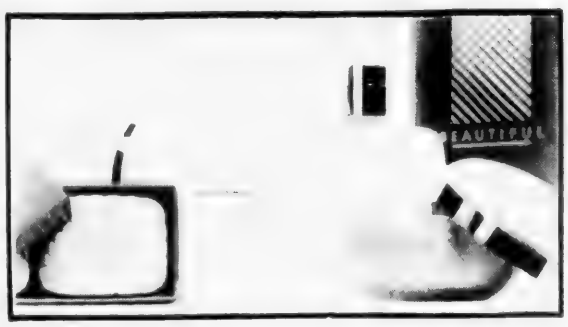
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The selection was made by a national board made up of national voluntary organizations and chaired by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). United Way of America will provide the administrative staff and function as fiscal agent. The board was charged to distribute $70 million appropriated by Congress to help expand the capacity of food and shelter programs in high-need areas around the country.

Under the terms of the grant, local governmental or private voluntary ogranizations chosen to receive funds must be non-profit, have an accounting system and conduct an annual audit, practice nondiscrimination, have demonstrated the capability to deliver emergency food and/or shelter programs and, if they are a private, voluntary organization, they should have a voluntary board. Qualifying organizations are urged to apply. The deadline for completed applications is 12 noon Friday, Dec. 19.

For further information, contact Merrimack Valley United Fund, Inc., 430 North Canal St., Lawrence, MA 01842.

## Farms Saved

Eight farms, representing some 700 acres of valuable Massachusetts farmland, were added last month to the growing inventory of farms protected from future development under the state's Agricultural Preservation Restriction (APR) program.

An additional 10 to 12 farms are expected to be preserved under the program by the end of this month, creating a total of 212 farms and roughly 21,000 acres which will have been preserved since the APR program began six years ago.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Wilkinson

## Wilkinson-Lambing

Kimberly Marie Lambing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Lambing of Orono, Maine, wed David Kenneth Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Wilkinson, 2 High Plain Road, Oct. 10 at an evening ceremony.

Rev. David Blanchard of North Andover officiated.

Ellen Wilkinson of Andover was maid of honor.

Dana Wilkinson, also of Andover served as best man.

The bride was graduated from both Orono High School, Orono, Maine, and the University of Maine and is presently employed as a Marketing Assistant at First Essex Savings Bank.

The groom graduated from Andover High School and the University of Maine, where he was a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity. He is employed as a mechanical Engineer at A.O.I. Systems in Lowell.

Following a wedding trip to Jamaica, the couple are residing in Haverhill.

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Gerri Lynn Brother

## To Wed In June

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore B. Brother, 52 Sagamore Drive, Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter, Gerri Lynn, to Jeff A. Weiss, son of Drs. Myrna and Donald Weiss, 23 Bateson Drive, Andover.

Miss Brother is a graduate of Phillips Academy and was graduated from Smith College, Magna Cum Laude. She is presently a law student at Boston University Law School.

Mr. Weiss is also a graduate of Phillips Academy and was graduated from Dartmouth College, Magna Cum Laude. He is presently studying law at Harvard Law School.

A June, 1987 wedding is planned.

## August Wedding Planned



Mary C. Oppel

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Oppel, 40 Salem St., North Andover, formerly of Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary C. Oppel, to Thomas P. Holland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holland, 113 Greene St., North Andover.

Miss Oppel is a graduate of Andover High School and attended Endicott College. She is presently employed as a receptionist at The Dentist's Colaborative in Methuen.

Mr. Holland was graduated from both North Andover High School and Merrimack College and is an accountant for the Stride Rite Shoe Company of Cambridge.

An August, 1987 wedding is planned.

### In Washington

Army Spec. 4 Charles J. Palmquist, son of David Palmquist Sr., 35 Fosters Pond Road, Andover, and Marjorie Manzi of Lynn, has arrived for duty with the 77th Armor, Fort Lewis, Wash.

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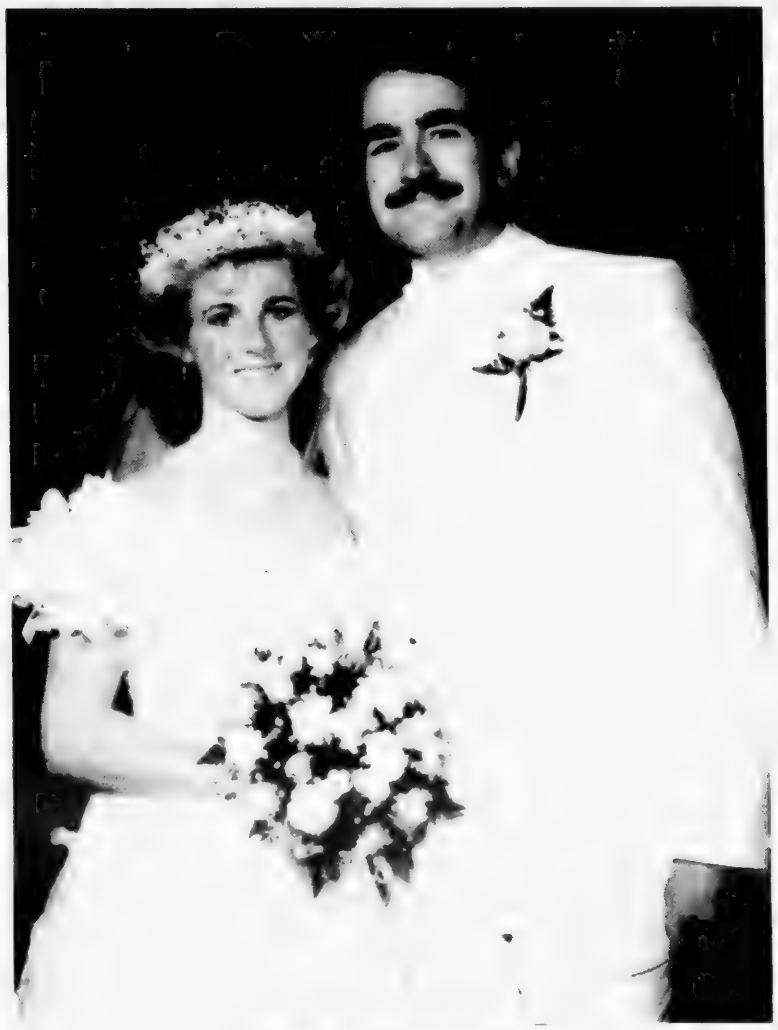
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Mr. and Mrs. Phillip E. Joy

# Joy-Terry

Jean-Marie Terry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Terry of North Andover, wed Phillip E. Joy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Joy of Salem, N.H. Aug. 31 at 10:30 a.m. ceremony in St. Michael's church, North Andover.

Rev. Paul Finnegan officiated.

The bride was attended by Matron of Honor Katherine M. Squibb of Bradford, and bridesmaids Donna Teher, Mary Loranger, Kelly Ann Terry, Nanci-Ann Whitworth and Joanne Carter.

Best man was Paul S. Grafton of Salem, N.H. and ushers were John W. Joy, Jr., Paul J. Terry, Edward Harvey, Jeffrey Todd and Robert Loranger.

The bride is a graduate of Andover High School and of Plymouth State College, N.H. and is employed as the Director of Fitness at the Courthouse Racquet Club in Chelmsford.

The groom was graduated from Salem High School, Salem, N.H. and is a Field Supervisor at the Braebrun Development Corp. of Tyngsboro.

Following a reception at the Andover Country Club, the couple left on a wedding trip consisting of a Carribean Cruise and a visit to Florida.

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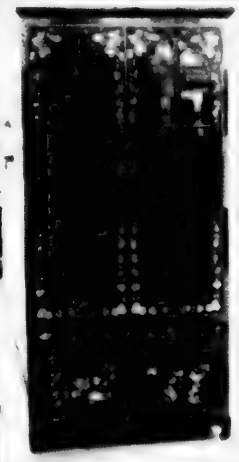
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# Christmas Pageant Sunday

All are welcome on Sunday, Dec. 21, to watch the West Parish Church's tenth annual Christmas Pageant at 5 p.m. which draws hundreds of spectators each year.

Members of the congregation and children of the Sunday school will participate in the performance which will include choral accompaniment and live animals. The reenactment will take place on the green opposite West Parish Church. Plenty of parking and seating will be available for the elderly. Everyone is invited for refreshments in Fellowship Hall following the pageant.

West Parish Church is located at the corners of Route 133 and Reservation Road, approximately two miles east off of Route 93 (take Route 133 exit Andover off Route 93 and head toward Andover.) For further details, call the church office between 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

# Special Sabbath Service

Temple Emanuel of Merrimack Valley, 101 West Forest St., Lowell, invites the Jewish community to join Sabbath prayer and celebration at a Welcome to Winter Service Friday, Dec. 19, at 8 p.m.

Rabbi Everett Gendler will conduct services. "We will use a uniquely-designed sunwheel, which is multicolored and carries the motif of the heavens, clouds, stars and earth around the Hebrew prayer praising the Creator of Light. It was created in 1981 to be part of a traditional Jewish sun ritual, which is only celebrated once every 28 years," he explained.

Members from the Merrimack Valley, southern New Hampshire and the Boston area will participate in the prayer, music and poetry.

A reception with refreshments will be held after services.

# Council Leaders At Forum

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Tufts, leaders of the Merrimack River Watershed Council, will speak at the forum following the 9 a.m. service at Christ Church, Andover, on Sunday, Dec. 21. Robert Clark, treasurer of the council, will introduce them.

The Watershed Council, which was established about ten years ago, is concerned with all issues which bear upon the conservation of the area and the restoring of the Merrimac River. The council has mobilized public opinion, enlisted the support of government and private interests in the restoration of the river and the land through which it flows. As a consequence, this area, which for many years was seriously polluted and deteriorated, has been greatly changed. The goal for the river to be "fishable and swimable"is in sight.

It is becoming increasingly clear that the conservation of water is parallel to the need to conserve energy. While the work of the council, at this point, is directly concerned with the Merrimack River, it is a part of a worldwide concern.

# Family Service Sunday

The Ballard Vale United Church ( a United Methodist and United Church of Christ congregation) will mark the Fourth Sunday in Advent with a special family service of worship. The Rev. Gary S. Cornell will have "God With Us" as his final Advent message. Members of the Junior High Youth class will form a living tableau of the Nativity while children of the church school will sing "Go Tell it on the Mountain" and "God Told Mary She'd Have a Son." Wendy Darling and Pam Fox are the soloists for the Children's Choir. The service is at 10:30 a.m. A time of fellowship and light refreshment will follow

Members of the congregation will gather at the church at 4 p.m. and go Christmas caroling, followed by an open house at the parsonage.

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## Apostolic

**St. Gregory Armenian Apostolic Church**
**Rev. Sahag Vertanesian, Pastor**
**158 Main St., North Andover**

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer; 10:15 a.m. Badarak. (Holy Mass)

## Baptist

**Andover Baptist Church**
**Rev. Phillips B. Henderson**
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SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:45 a.m. Worship Service; 9:30 to 12 Noon: Nursery Care.

**Judson Memorial Baptist Church, S.B.C.**
**3 Greene St., Lawrence**
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SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m.; 11 a.m. Bible Study for all ages; 11 a.m. Worship; 6:30 p.m. Worship.
WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Prayer Service.

## Bible Chapels

**Andover Bible Chapel**
**266 Lowell St., Andover**

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Communion Service; 11 a.m. Family Bible Hour and Sunday School; 6 p.m. Evening Service; 7 p.m. Youth Group.
MONDAY: 6:45 p.m. Awana Club - Boys & Girls.
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## Catholic

**St. Augustine's Church**
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**43 Essex St., Andover**

SATURDAY: Mass 4 and 5:30 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 8, 9:30, 11, 12:30 p.m.
Holy Day Masses: See Bulletin.
First Friday Mass: 10:30 a.m.
Penance: Saturday 11 a.m.- 12 Noon & 7-8 p.m.

**St. Robert Bellarmine Church**
**Rev. Frederick J. Collins, Pastor**
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SUNDAY: Masses: 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.

**St. Joseph's Church**
**High St., Ballardvale**

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**St. Michael's Church**
**Rev. Joseph Svirskas, Pastor**
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SATURDAY: Masses at 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m. and 12 Noon.
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SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Church Services; Sunday School; Nursery Available.
WEDNESDAY: 8 p.m. Testimony Meeting.

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## Promoted

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Gavin J. Hawkes, son of Russell Doyle and Pamela Hawkes, Evergreen Lane, Andover, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with Attack Squadron-122, Naval Air Station Lemoore, CA.


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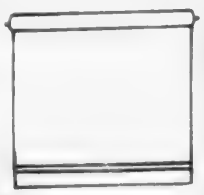


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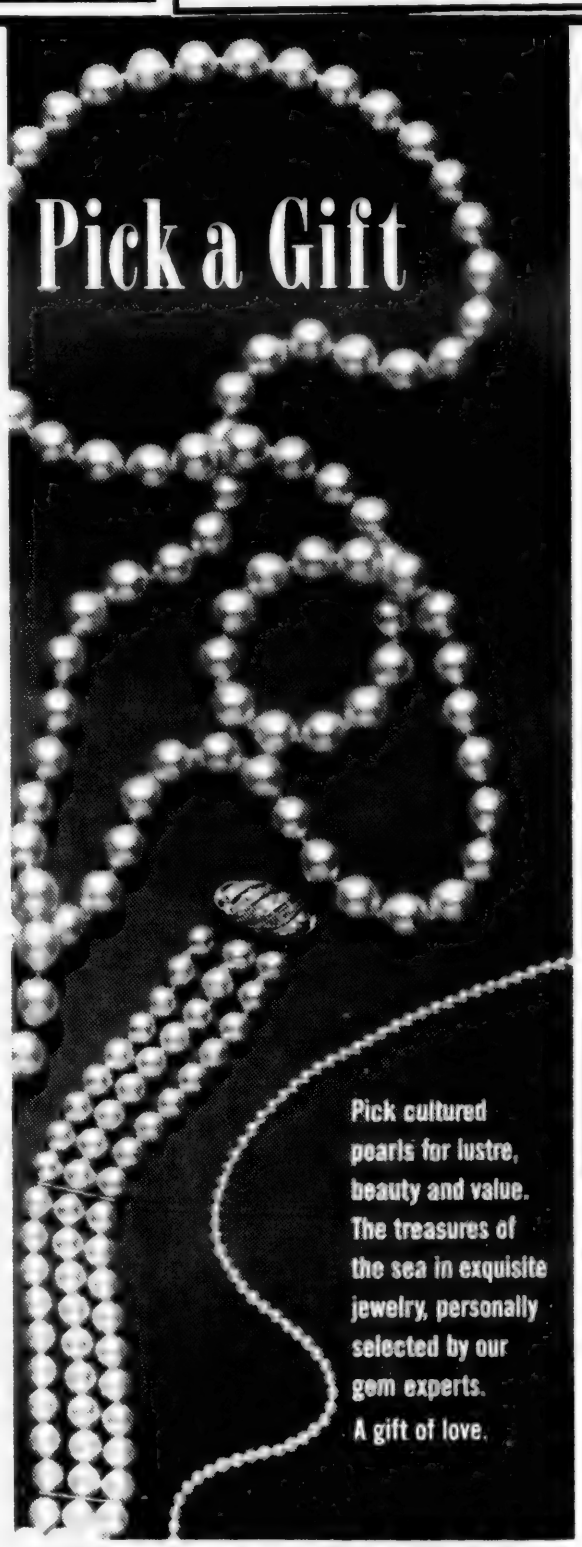
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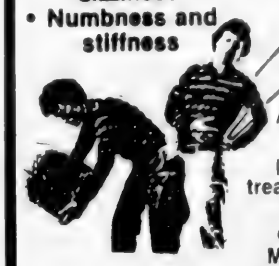
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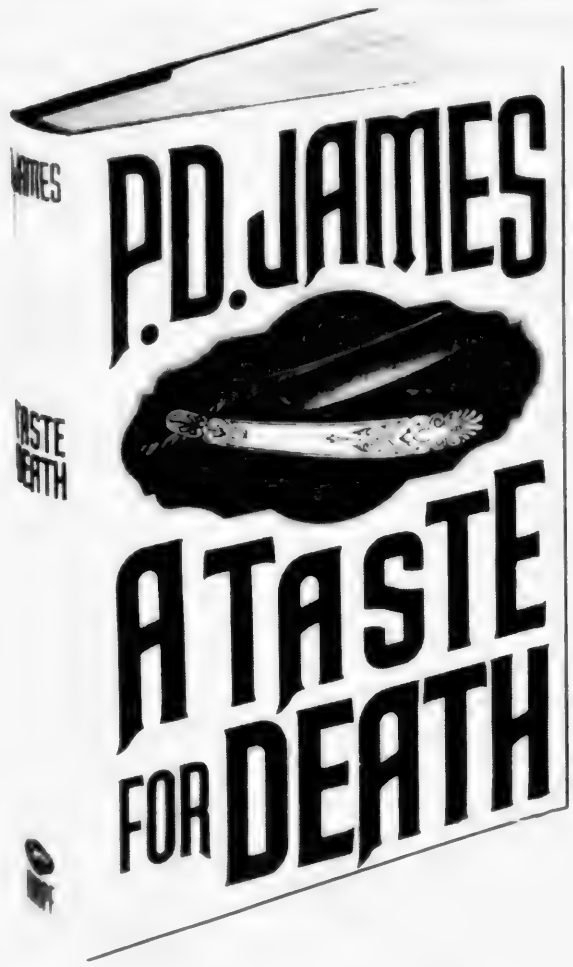
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# obituaries.....

## Ron A. Etter

Ron A. Etter, 62, 214 Farnham St., Lawrence, died Sat. Dec. 13, 1986, at Whittier Rehabilitation Hospital, Haverhill.

Mr. Etter was employed as a sales representative until his retirement in January 1986 from the Jackson Lumber Company in Lawrence. He was an Army veteran of World War II and the Korean Conflict, serving as a lieutenant for 11 years.

Mr. Etter was born in Cleveland, Ohio, and lived in Chicago, Ill., until July of 1970 when he moved to Andover, where he lived until 1979. He lived in Haverhill from 1979 until moving to Lawrence one year ago. He was a member of the Andover Council Knights of Columbus.

He is survived by his wife, Victorine A. (St. Onge) Etter; daughters, Gwen D. Etter of Lawrence, Mrs. Kevin (Karen L.) Carney of Andover and Gayle M. Etter of Lawrence; sons, Wayne C. of Atkinson, N.H., Ron J. of Cambridge and Bruce J. of Lawrence; a sister, Doris E. Brozzo of Symar, Calif.; five grandchildren and several neices and nephews. His mother, Mildred M. (Adler) Etter of Andover, died Nov. 23, 1986.

A mass was celebrated in St. James Church yesterday and burial followed in St. Joseph Cemetery, Haverhill.

## Ruth Susan Stanley

Ruth Susan Stanley, 81, 55 Andover St., died Friday, Dec. 12, 1986, at the Prescott House Nursing Home after a short illness.

Miss Stanley was born in Andover and was a lifelong resident of the town. Prior to her retirement in 1968, she was a supervisor and operator of New England Telephone Company at the Andover exchange.

She was a member of the Ballard Vale United Methodist Church and the Telephone Pioneers.

She is survived by three cousins, Mrs. Evelyn Juba of Haverhill, Miss Mildred Stanley of Ipswich and Joseph O'Hara of Andover.

A funeral service was held and burial followed in Spring Grove Cemetery.

# births.....

**Melton** — A daughter, Zofia Mary, born on Nov. 29 at the Bon Secours Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Hewlett E. Melton, Jr., 23 Woodhaven Drive. The mother is the former Zita Jendrzejozak. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Narses Jendrezjozak of Wilwaukee, Wisconsin. Paternal grandparents are Mary Parker of Woodbury, GA. and H. E. Melton, Sr. of La Grange, GA.

**Bruno** — A son, Michael Thomas, born Nov. 21 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bruno, 119 Haverhill St. The mother is the former Rebecca Wolin.

**Goddard** — A daughter, Jamie Whittier, born Nov. 22 at Winchester Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Goddard of North Reading. The mother is the former Linda Heselton. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heselton of Andover. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goddard of Reading. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Whittier of Swampscott.

**Margiotta** — A son, Mark Richard, III, born on Nov. 21 at the Mount Auburn Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Mark R. Margiotta, Jr., of Andover. The mother is the former Darcy Hosmer. Paternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Mark R. Margiotta of Reading. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hosmer, Jr. of Winchester. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Evelyn Margiotta of Middlebury, CT. Maternal great-grandmothers are Mrs. John H. Hosmer, Sr. of Gloucester and Mrs. Betty Ley of Winchester.

**Danforth** — Twins, a son, Stephen J., and a daughter, Stephanie A., born on Oct. 22 at Lawrence General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Danforth, 122 High St. The mother is the former Cynthia Stebbins. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Danforth of York, ME, formerly of Andover. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stebbins of Andover.

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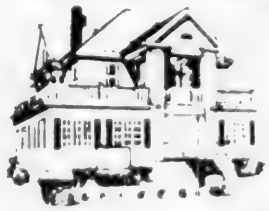
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# For Those Of Us Who Are Older

By Janet D. Lake

A very special thanks is extended to the Andover Lodge of Elks for a super repeat performance of their annual Christmas party for Andover's senior citizens. And the performance of the charming "Jellybeans" troupe of children from the YMCA was delightful. Again, our thanks.

The holiday Bingo schedule: instead of December 26, it will be Monday, Dec. 22; instead of January 2, it will be Monday, Dec. 29. The hour is the same as usual. The senior center will be open December 26 and January 2, but all scheduled activities will not be held. Of course, it will be closed Christmas and New Year's Day.

The hot lunch program will be in recess after lunch December 23 and will resume Monday, Jan. 5. Reservations for the January 5 lunch must be phoned in by 4 p.m. January 2.

There will be no Weebus service on December 25 and January 1. For service the day fter Christmas and the day fter New Year's, you must call before the holiday. The shuttle bus will not operate on the holidays also

Tomorrow, Dec. 19, Dorothy Winn, center director, will star on the Heritage Cable TV seniority program on Cable Channel 2 at 10:30 a.m. and again at 5:30 p.m. Be sure to watch!

Fight the blahs in the middle of winter with a trip to Atlantic City with us. The Council on Aging is sponsoring a three-day trip to that famous resort city, leaving Andover February 25. Yu'll spend two nights at Resorts International Hotel, have a champagne punch reception, $10 in quarters, the use ot the indoor pool, sauna and whirlpool and their spectacular casino featuring many different games. A deposit of $25 is due now with the emainder due January 20. The cost double is $149. Call the center if you have questions But it sure would put some spice into your winter. Treat yourself.

Potluck Luncheon is scheduled for the senior center Monday, Dec. 29. All those good cooks have an opportunity to sport their best recipes and those of you who can't or won't cook are welcome to come for $3. If you are having trouble deciding what to bring, call the center for ideas. Call the center anyway, so they'll know you plan to be there.

This afternoon at 12:45 is the second showing of "It's a Wonderful Life" starring Jimmy Stewart. Tom Ross of the Greater Lawrence Mental Health Center will hold his usual discussion period following the film. Come on down.

From the COA and everyone at the center, a Merry Christmas and Happy Chanukah.

## Promoted

Marine Lance Cpl. Robert L. Ferrell, son of Edwin and Dorothy Ferrell, 55 Water St., Andover, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 3rd Force Service Support Group on Okinawa.


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# Old Town Hall Preservation Will Cost Over $2 Million

By Susan K. O'Neill

According to the experts, Andover's Old Town Hall is a one-of-a-kind piece of history worthy of preservation. In the light of their studies, however, it will ultimately fall to the citizens of this town to decide whether such preservation is worth approximately $2.3 million.

At the Dec. 8 meeting of the Board of Selectmen, architects from the Boston firm of Ann Beha presented their analysis of the present condition and future usability of the Old Town Hall on Main Street.

"The good news is, it's in fairly good shape, all things considered," said architect Pam Hawkes. Neglect has left its mark on the old building, however; Hawkes found a number of deficiencies in structure—including deteriorating support of the second floor and entry hall, a roof in need of replacement and crumbling chimneys.

She cited a number of safety problems—among them, a lack of adequate lighting in the entry and the absence of access for the physically handicapped to the second floor. Also, she said, the heating, electrical and plumbing systems need replacement and/or updating, and the building should have thermally efficient windows installed.

According to Hawkes, fitting the hall for a use other than its present or past office/auditorium functions would not be feasible; it would require too much work and too many alterations to meet building codes.

Even with all the work needed to renovate the hall, said Hawkes, "the important point is that so much of what we want the building to be is there. What we're really talking about is clearing away some of the later additions."

The Beha plans for the Old Town Hall propose that the first floor be used for offices, with a branch of the post office taking a front-to-back space on the right side. In the rear would be a kitchen area and an elevator.

The second floor would be re-converted to its original use as an auditorium. It would seat approximately 280 people.

Architect Ann Beha told the board that, because the hall is an historic building, the town would be permitted under state law to open its bids to contractors who specialize in historical restoration projects. She broke down the approxi-

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## Elected

Albert B. Gordon, a native of Lawrence, was recently elected vice president of the AAA Auto Club of Merrimack Valley.

He has been a director of the auto club since 1965.

Gordon is a graduate of the Methuen school system and Burdett College of Business Administration. A Navy veteran of World War II, he is past president of the Greater Lawrence Chamber of Commerce and the Methuen Board of Trade.

Gordon retired as a director and first vice president of the Bay-Bank Merrimack Valley and past president, treasurer-director of the Methuen Co-operative Bank.

Gordon and his wife reside in Salem, N.H. They have two children.

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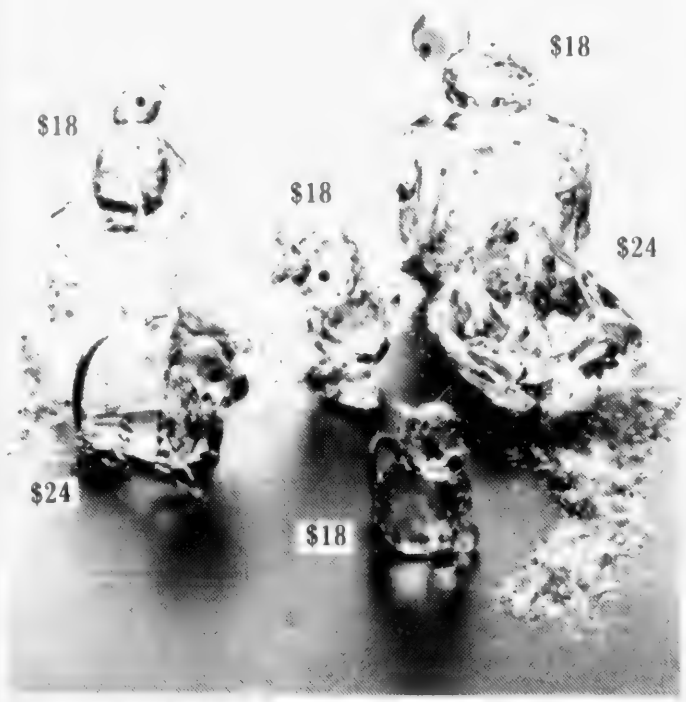
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# New Post Office Site Set For Stevens Street

By Susan K. O'Neill

It's official: Andover has now taken a giant step toward the building of a new central post office on Stevens Street.

According to Stephen Kasnet, executive vice president of R.M. Bradley and Co., Inc., of Boston, the postal service has overcome the last of the obstacles barring their leasing of the proposed office site from land owner Bert Paley. "The documents have been signed, I think, pending the resolution of the title matters," said Kasnet, whose firm had been retained to find a suitable site for the project. Kasnet said that the issues in question, which included access to parking by abutters and had held up the leasing for some time, have now been settled.

Kasnet said that the postal service will hold a long-term "ground lease" on the land, with Paley retaining ownership, and will hire a contractor to build the office. He estimated that it would take four to six months for the design of the building to be completed so that construction could begin.

"I think in this case we've managed to get a location that works for everybody," he said of the Stevens Street site.

Town Manager Kenneth Mahony is also pleased with the prospective location. "The site is equally convenient to all three areas that will use it—Ballardvale, the downtown and Shawsheen," he said. He added that the location also will distance the office from downtown, which could cut down on postal truck traffic through the heart of the commercial district.

According to Mahony, the town has been attempting to centralize and relocate its postal service for approximately 25 years, but other potential sites had not worked out. The post office has been negotiating with Paley for the Stevens Street site for three years, he said.

# Tape Recorder Is Focus Of Information Complaint

By Susan K. O'Neill

At their meeting on Monday night, the selectmen were once again urged to champion a citizen's freedom to obtain public information from the Zoning Board of Appeals. This time, however, the medium at issue was tape rather than paper.

According to Jean Salazar, president of the Andover chapter of the League of Women Voters, a resident had taped the ZBA's Saturday meeting, held so the board could deliberate on the week's earlier hearings. Salazar said that she had come to the meeting late; when she walked in, she witnessed the end of what had proved to be a confrontation between ZBA chairman Wesley Whitney and the citizen over the taping.

Salazar said that it appeared that Whitney and Atty. Robert Zollner, who acts as the ZBA's legal counsel, were taking issue with the taping.

Under laws governing open meetings, said Salazar, the taping of a public meeting is legal. She asked the selectmen to be "picky" about allowing the public its access to public information, and to make it clear to town boards that taping and other forms of information-gathering are permitted under state law.

Town Manager Kenneth Mahony said that he would notify the boards. He also said that he had intended to put forth the board's policy on access to information, as directed at the last meeting, but that he had been unable to do so because of a lack of time and an overload of town business.

Selectman John Scileppi called for the placing of a high priority on the clarification. "This is now the third or fourth meeting that we've had on it (freedom of access to information)," he said.

Selectman Gerry Silverman added that the board would authorize the sending of a letter to all town boards concerning the rights of the public.

"If it occurs again," Scileppi told Salazar, "Bring it up again."

According to members of the ZBA, the

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**The Andover-North Andover YMCA recently received $60,600 from the Merrimack Valley United Fund Building Fund Campaign, which is currently in progress, to repair the roof at the Haverhill Street facility. The fund's building committee discovered the need for the work, which is scheduled for January, during an assessment of its agencies' building safety needs. Reviewing the contract for the work in front of the club are Kenneth Weidman, YMCA board chairman; Larry Malarsky, finance chairman; Heidi Wolfman, Andover/North Andover YMCA director; and Jamie Coombes, clerk-of-the-works, an engineer on loan from Joan Fabrics who oversees major building repairs of United Fund agencies.**

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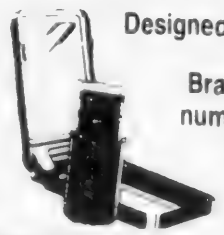

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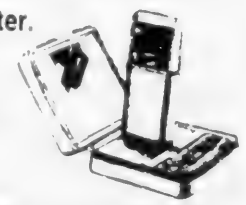
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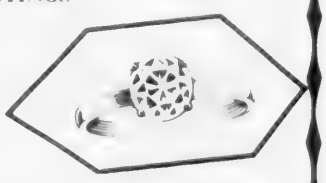
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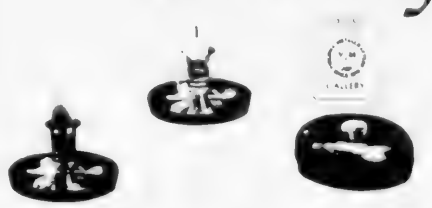
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Cleveland holds a B.S. and M.S. with Honors in Photographic Sciences and Printing Technology from the Rochester Institute of Technology, N.Y., where she was awarded a Case-Hoyt Printing Scholarshp and Graduate Science Scholarship for academic excellence. The recipient of several ribbon awards for photographic competitions, Cleveland has had work selected for the Kodak Permanent Collection at the Rochester Institute.

She is a 1976 graduate of Andover High School.


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# Opinion

DECEMBER 18, 1986

## Decorative Dilemma

At a time when seasonal joy is paramount, it seems difficult to comprehend why some people take pleasure destroying Christmas decorations.

A young man in Lawrence recently spent considerable time decorating his house for the Christmas season only to return home one night and find the display destroyed by vandals.

There are similar incidents consistently being reported as the Christmas displays continue to build.

In this week's police log in the TOWNSMAN there are varied reports of damage to outside decorations, such as an illuminated Santa Claus being stolen from someone's yard, some wreaths taken off doors, bulbs broken and similar senseless destruction.

It all deters from the spirit of the season which is meant to be one of joy.

That people take the time and effort to create Christmas displays is evidence that the spirit of the season should be joyous and meaningful. They do it not just for personal satisfaction, but as an expression of extending the feeling of the season to neighbors and visitors to the area.

Then, that spirit is dampened by vandals who, for some unknown reason, take some sort of unusual pleasure in destroying the efforts.

It would be easy, of course, to criticize police for not spotting these people in the process of their vandalistic deeds.

But, it should be understood that the police can't be everywhere.

It would be nice, however, if on some occasion during this season, the police were fortunate enough to apprehend a few of these vandals and have an example made of them.

Maybe then, Andover and surrounding communities could enjoy the decorating and the viewing of the holiday scene without fear of having their work destroyed.

This, too, is the season which brings out the best in people.

Witness for instance the rapidity with which the families who were burned out of their North Main Street homes a week ago were provided assistance by the general public.

It is a particular time of year when people stop to think what they can do for those less fortunate to insure a happy holiday for all.

In that regard, we suggest attention to the Eagle-Tribune Santa Claus Fund.

Conducted annually by the newspaper for many years, the fund provides agencies with funding to insure a Merry Christmas for many who would otherwise be missed on Christmas morning.

As the days dwindle down toward that most joyous holiday, an assist to the Eagle Tribune Santa Fund will guarantee not only a personal warm feeling of helping others, but assure that no one will be deprived of the spirit of the season.

## *Down The Years With The Townsman*

**75 Years Ago — December 1911**

The monthly song service will be held in Abbott Village hall next Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m.

Clayton S. Cooper, Bible Study secretary of the International committee of the Y.M.C.A., will speak at the chapel on Sunday.

Andover Grange will meet next Tuesday evening, at which time the election of officers for the coming year will take place.

Professor F. S. Morse will lecture on "Mars and its Mystery" in the Archaeology building at 8 p.m., Thursday night. The lecture is free and Professor Morse is one of the most entertaining lecturers in New England.

It has been decided to use the old Phillips Academy office for social purposes of the faculty and alumni. It will be fitted up appropriately and will be open at all times.

**50 Years Ago — December 1936**

A meeting of the Past Chief's association of the Clan will be held at seven tonight in Fraternal Hall.

Dr. Pfatteicher's course, entitled "The Five Greatest Choral Compositions Ever Written" in the Andover Adult Evening Study Group series, will meet on Monday evenings, starting January 4. The lectures will be illustrated with records played on the superb new talking machine recently presented to the school by the Carnegie Corporation of New York.

Sandy Campbell, who won a game practically by himself by turning the hat trick for the Andover F.C. a few weeks ago, was again in good form Sunday, scoring two of the four goals the local team made in their 4-1 victory over Forge Village at Westford.

The Mothers' Club will contribute a number of Christmas baskets to needy families this Christmas, according to plans made Wednesday at the regular monthly meeting. At Thanksgiving, ten families were taken care of, each receiving almost a week's food supply.

**25 Years Ago — December 1961**

In the memory of some election officials, who attend and check off the voters at town meeting, more voters went to town meeting "in the old days."

Permits for new construction, valued at $283,800, were issued by Building Inspector Ernest N. Hall during November.

Andover, along with all other offices in the country, will this year be attempting to keep Christmas mail deliveries to the customary one—other years it has been necessary to deliver some routes twice daily during the rush.

The possibility of having an old-fashioned town meeting—an all-out affair with lunch available—is under discussion. The Selectmen Monday night generally agreed that a Saturday would make it more attractive to the voters.

It is also known that the Planning Board has not yet satisfied itself as to changes in the bylaws. That board met with the study committee Tuesday night as they continue discussing the revisions, as they relate to zoning.

**10 Years Ago — December 1976**

John Raftes, who handles real estate for the postal service in this area, emphasized that the Selectmen have been

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## *Finding A Place For The Tree*

**By Susan K. O'Neill**

We've got a Christmas tree.

So, you say, who doesn't?

We almost didn't. That is, we almost didn't have any place to put one.

It's because we refinanced our house.

So, you say, who didn't?

That's the problem. Everybody did.

Let me start from the beginning. Last summer, we decided that our little house, bought when the market was tight, was too small for the five of us.

So we renegotiated the mortgage and set aside the resulting money to expand.

We hired an architect, who drew up lovely, costly plans for expansion that she swore would fit our budget and satisfy the zoning setbacks of our tiny lot.

Then we looked for a builder.

Because, as I said, everybody had refinanced, builders were busy in July. We could only find one reputable guy who could start before late November.

His bid was double our budget.

We cut the scope of the project in half. His bid was still high.

But we were considering it—until the architect called to tell us that (oops!) she had found that we *would* have to go before the Zoning Board for a variance for our work. The addition, it seemed, was within all the guidelines. The house itself was not.

We chucked the project. Poorer by the architect's fee, we decided to opt for the simpler tack—cosmetic work.

We hired a small-jobs carpenter to fix the ceilings. He came right away.

He was the only thing to go right.

We stripped the wallpaper in September because the painter and the paperer were coming in October.

The painter, however, ran into bad weather, which piled up his outside work. So, for two months, we lived with unpainted ceilings and stripped walls.

He showed up in early December.

The day after he arrived, he left again. For jury duty.

They picked him for a trial.

Because the jurist was painting two of the downstairs rooms, we lived for more than a week in one room. It was a bit cramped, because it was filled with the furniture that had been in the two rooms that were being painted.

The family togetherness was almost fatally poignant.

In the meantime, as could be expected, the paperer had filled her schedule with other jobs.

Last week, miraculously, it began to come together. The painter returned and finished most of the downstairs. The paperer showed up.

And now, most of the downstairs is painted and papered—at least enough to give us space for a Christmas tree. True, all the furniture from the bedrooms is now in the upstairs hall. True, Kramer is sleeping in a bedroll on Kelly's floor. And, true, the paperer and the painters and the carpet and linoleum people and, yes, the plumber will all be working away well into January or February.

And true, we're not getting more space out of this chaos.

But we've got the tree.

I wonder where we put the ornaments...

# school lunch menu

## High School

Choice of the following daily:
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## Elementaries

**MONDAY:** Hot dog on roll, baked beans, mustard, relish and catsup, potato chips, pudding, milk. **or** Grilled cheese sandwich, buttered vegetable, potato chips, pudding, milk.

**TUESDAY:** Cheese pizza, tossed salad w/cheese sticks, raisins, milk. **or** Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, cheese chunks, tossed salad, raisins, milk.

## Junior Highs

**MONDAY:** Hot dog on roll, baked beans, potato chips, pudding w/topping, milk. **or** Bologna and cheese or hot pastromi sub, buttered vegetable, potato chips, pudding w/topping, milk.

**TUESDAY:** Cheese pizza, carrot, celery and cheese sticks, raisins, milk. **or** Turkey or beef parmegiana sub, vegetable, potato chips, raisins, milk.

## Senior Citizen

**MONDAY:** Chicken nuggets w/honey, potato, buttered vegetable, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

**TUESDAY:** Slice of pizza, tossed salad, cup of soup, dessert, beverage.

## Premiere

The Peabody Museum of Salem presents "Northern Light's Arctic-Antarctic Voyage" on Thursday, Jan. 8, at 8 p.m. in its first American appearance. This multi-media presentation recounts the voyage of Rolf Bjelke and Deborah Shapiro in the 40-foot ketch Northern Light, an epic adventure which took them from the farthest north ever chieved by a yacht, down the length of Atlantic and Pacific to a daring cruise of the coast of Antarctica. Admission will be advance ticket sale only.

# The Public Forum

## Grateful

**To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN;**

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George H. Redman
Director
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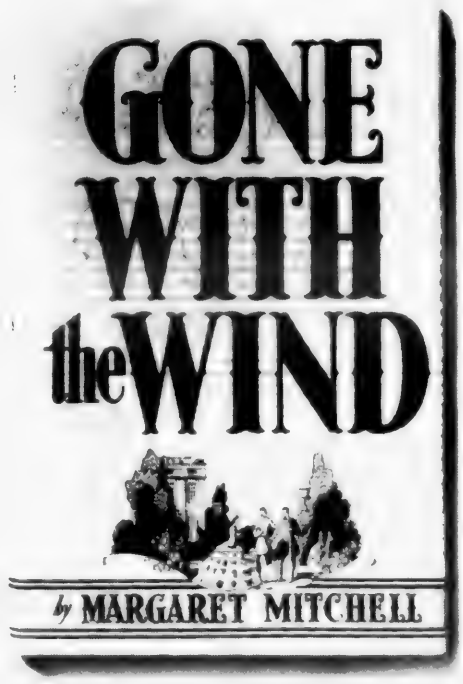
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# *Sporting Life*

DECEMBER 18, 1986







## *Football Honors*

**Thursday night, the Andover High School athletic department honored its outstanding football players with an awards ceremony at the Collins Center.**

**Photos, from above: Coach Dick Collins; Trophy winners Richard Bourdelais (Outstanding Attitude), Gus Duffy (Most Valuable Player), Steve Redgate (Outstanding Back) and Brian Costello (Outstanding Lineman); Captains for the 1987 season—John Perry (at mike), and (standing, left to right) Craig Buscema, Steve D'Urso and Devin Arsenault (partially hidden behind Perry)—take the podium while senior guard Jimmy Flowers looks on; Juniors Peter Vehlow, Todd McAllister, Scott Carlton and Josh Yezurski; Kim Wagner gets a kiss from Richard Bourdelais, as players honor the cheerleading team.**

**Townsman Photos by Susan O'Neill**





# Intermediate League Results

St. Augustine's E stopped St. Robert's C 28-11, South Church edged St. Augustine's B 28-23, St. Augustine's A trimmed St. Augustine's D 27-19, Ballardvale United toppled Temple Emanuel B 20-10, Temple Emanuel A decisioned St. Augustine's C 30-19 and St. Robert's A slipped past St. Robert's B 42-37 in second-round action of the Intermediate Division of the Andover Church Basketball League at the West Junior High School gym.

### St. Augustine's E, 28-11

Shad Flaig had 22 points to lead SAE over St. Robert's C.

Tied 2-2 after one period, St. Augustine's E blew the game open with a 11-1 second-quarter run.

Michael Kinnon had 4 points and Bobby Lee had 2 to round out the scoring for SAE.

Philip Boness paced the SRC attack with 7 points, John Camillus added 4 while Jon Wyler and Mark Sobiek played well.

### South, 28-23

South grabbed a 6-2 first-quarter lead over St. Augustine's B which proved decisive as the teams battled on almost even terms the rest of the way.

South led 16-12 at halftime and 19-15 after three.

Chethan Harish led the balanced offense with 9 points, Wayne Mattola chipped in 7, Scott Eggert 5, Duncan Harris 5 and Matt Reghitto 2.

Chris Zappala and Kevin Murphy had 7 points each for SAB, Jon Hines had 6, Mike Santangelo 2 and Jamey Lionette converted a free throw.

### St. Augustine's A, 27-19

SAA moved ahead of St. Augustine's D 5-2 after one period, 9-4 at halftime and 17-8 after three to register a win in this hard-fought contest.

Paul Bernardin was game-high with 10 points, Larry Gibson had 7, Tom Torrisi 6, Matt McClune 2, while Paul Lysiak and Ricky Crispo had foul shots.

Garrett Ferris led SAD with 7 points, Rob Brendle notched 4, Matt Daniels 3, John Shea 3 and Brian Hussey 2.

### Ballardvale United, 20-10

Andrew Novelline and Colin Arsenault combined talents for 14 points as BU triumphed over Temple Emanuel B.

Ballardvale jumped to a 6-0 first-quarter lead, increased it to 12-3 at halftime and then the teams traded points the rest of the way.

Novelline finished with 8 points, Arsenault had 6, Jeff Brammer, Bruce Ladd and Mike McLellan netted solo baskets.

Erik Danis was top scorer for TEB with 6 points, Josh Marmer had 4, while Sam McLellan and Doug Margerison also played well.

### Temple Emanuel A, 30-19

TEA clung to a slim 10-7 advantage over St. Augustine's C at intermission, but blew the game open with a 12-6 third-quarter run paced by Adam Goddess (6 points) and Adam Cohen (4).

Goddess finished game-high with 10 points, Eric Block had 8, Andrew Leinson 4, Adam Cohen 4, Jeremy Scherr 2 and Albert Shenker 2.

Tom Daily led SAC in the scoring column with 4 points, Andy DeBenedictis had 3, Jim Hanning 3, John Gabriel 2, Dan Hinchey 2, Dan Kenny 2, Greg Peters 2 and Ryan Hanson netted a free throw.

### St. Robert's A, 42-37

SRA and St. Robert's B were deadlocked at 16-16 at halftime, but the victors went on a 12-2 third-quarter spurt that proved decisive.

Chris Shea was game-high for St. Robert's A with 15 points, Todd Green had 8, Mark Baker 6, Adam Ferry 6, Paul Durant 5 and Matt D'Elia 2.

Ian Timmons sparked the SRB offense with 12 points, Mike Marchlik added 7, Chris Dziadosz, Steve Shepard 6, Stephen Marchlik 4 and Keith Selvitelli 2.

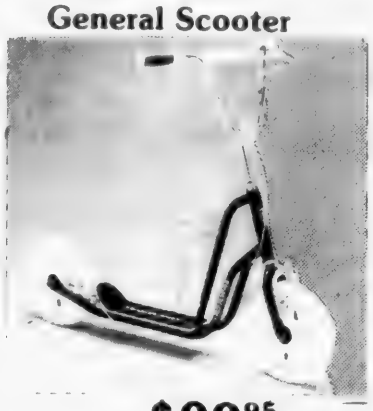

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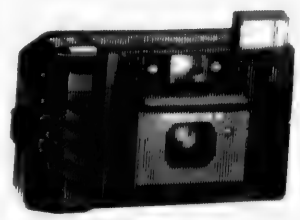


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# *Intermediate Girls' Results*

St. Robert's B stopped St. Augustine's B 18-8, Christ Church decisioned St. Augustine's A 19-8 and Ballardvale United overpowered St. Robert's A 27-11 in last week's action in the Intermediate Girls Division of the Andover Church Basketball League.

### St. Robert's B, 18-8

SRB placed six players in the scoring column en route to its win over St. Augustine's B.

St. Robert's B took an early 8-4 first period and increased their advantage to 10-4 at halftime and 15-4 after three.

Karen Babine paced the attack with 7 points, Amy O'sulliva had 4, Stephanie Kupa 2, Kristen Simko 2, Amy Hayes 2 an Kristen Smith converted a free throw.

Michele Doucette accounted for all eight of SAB's points while Kelly Walsh and Debbie Shea played well.

### Christ Church, 19-8

CC, the preseason favorite, remained undefeated (2-0) with a hard-fought victory over a tough St. Augustine's A team.

Christ Church led 5-2, 10-4 and 4-8 at the first three checkpoints.

Lindsy was game-high with 10 points, Kerry Hagerty had 3, Danyelle Constantineau 2, Nicole Angelos 2, while Carmela Sapienza and Beth Robinson had foul shots.

Amy Cassidy led SAA with 4 points, Marcia Gemmell and Karyn Ragonese had solo buckets while strong defense was turned in by Beth Everett, Jinji Joo and Patricia McNeil.

### Ballardvale United, 27-11

Rachel Roberts and Nancy Hoffman combined talents for 18 points as an improving BU team had too much firepower for St. Robert's A.

Roberts hit double figures with 10 points, Hoffman added 8, Erinne Sullivan 3, Diane Aikman 2, Jeanette Grey 2 and Sheri Culver 2.

Grace Perry had 7 points for SRA, Kelly Young 2, Kathryn Grzybinski 2, while Erica Ward and Shannon McGovern played well.

## *B's Lose*

**By Guy Lafleur**

The Bantam B's lost 8-2 in a tough game against the Malden Knights. The score was 2-1 at the end of the first period with Andover's goal scored by Tim Fox with assists by Matt Tanner and Greg Afarian. The Knights got three more in the second, but Mike D'Angelo tried to get going with a goal in the third, assisted by Eric Patterson. Malden got three more goals to seal their victory.

Playing well were goalie Waitkevitch, Parker, Gill, Afarian, Fox, Shaw, Bellevance, Cashman, D'Angelo, Dunning, Foley, Grouleau, Murnane, Patterson, Schmidt, Tanner and Dribben.

The Bantam B's lost a game against North Andover 8-0. North Andover scored in the first minute and a half of play. Good play was shown by Waitkevitch, Dribben, Schmidt, Patterson, Murnane, Grouleau, Foley, Dunning, D'Angelo, Cashman, Bellevance, Shaw, Fox, Afarian, Gill and Parker.


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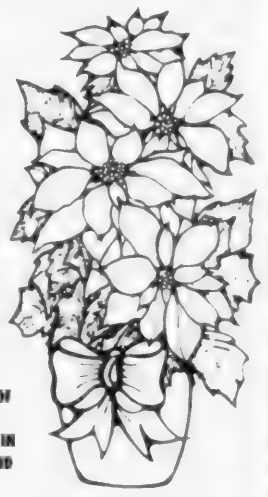


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# Three Junior Teams Undefeated

St. Augustine's A, St. Robert's A and St. Augustine's B are the only teams left undefeated following second-round action last week in the Junior Division of the Andover Church Basketball League at the West Junior High School gym.

SAA gained a hard-fought 16-10 win over Ballardvale United, SRA overpowered St. Robert's B 21-1 and SAB, in a tense struggle, nipped St. Augustine's C 12-11.

St. Augustine's E toppled South 20-9 and St. Augustine's D trimmed Temple Emanuel 13-8.

### St. Augustine's A, 16-10

Defending champs SAA had to put forth a strong effort to subdue a scrappy Ballardvale United team.

They edged ahead 5-2 after one period, increased it to 9-4 at intermission, then traded baskets over the final two quarters.

Dan Evans led the SAA attack with 5 points, Paul Cassidy and Matt Walsh had 4 points each and Matt Blake 3. Eric Marquis and Anthony Correnti also played well.

Mike Trombly paced Ballardvale with 4 points, Chris Blongiewicz, Nate Roberts and Greg Litchfield had single buckets. Chris Stamm and Mark McGarry were defensive stalwarts.

### St. Robert's A, 21-1

SRA slipped in front 1-0 after one period, increased their advantage to 9-0 at halftime and then coasted past St. Robert's B.

James Perry and Matthew Werner pumped in 6 points each, Chris Kearn added 4, Teddy Witman 2, Jon Adams 2 and Ricky Santigati had a third-quarter free throw.

Eddie Seero notched a foul shot for SRB while Jeremy Maguire, Joey King and Michael Collings played well.

### St. Augustine's B, 12-11

SAB led 12-5 with 2:20 left on the clock, but had to withstand a furious rally by St. Augustine's C that cut the advantage to one point before nailing down the win.

The game, pitting two talented teams, was played at an upbeat pace throughout and featured tenacious defense and excellent passing by both squads.

SAC led 2-1 after one period on a basket by Ken Oppenheim that was countered by a free throw by Justin Connors.

St. Augustine's B deadlocked the score at 5-5 at halftime on baskets by Tim Doyle and Louis Capobianco that was offset by a field goal by Larry Melia and a foul shot by Mike Terlizzi.

Chris Corcoran (4 points) and Justin Connors (1) put SAB ahead 11-5 after three.

Tim Foley gave the B-team their seven-point edge when he netted a field goal midway through the final stanza.

The C-team refused to fold as baskets by Tim McGovern, Kevin Melia and Oppenheim resulted in the final one-point margin.

### St. Augustine's E, 20-9

Ryan Lisiak poured in 16 points to power SAE to victory over South Church.

St. Augustine's E led 6-2 after one period, 12-7 at halftime and 16-9 after three.

Eric DeMarco and Peter Volpe rounded out the scoring with solo baskets. Tom Feeley and Bill Schofield were defensive stalwarts.

Tommy Clarke and David Salafia paced the South offense with 5 points and 4 points, respectively.

### St. Augustine's D, 13-8

St. Augustine's D outscored Temple Emanuel 6-2 in the final period to preserve the win.

TE led 6-3 at halftime, but St. A's went on a 4-0 run in the third quarter to take the lead for good.

Mark DeCourcy had 8 points, Mike Costello added 3 and Todd Thistle 2.

Ben Weiner, Lee Baron, Eric Pisick and Mike McGuire accounted for field goals for Temple Emanuel while David Mazin and Rob Bralower also played well.

# O'Connell Wins Top Award

Lisa O'Connell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. O'Connell, Jr. of Andover, was recently named the most improved runner for the Tilton School varsity cross-country team.

In presenting the award to her at the school's annual fall athletic banquet, Coach Michael Burnham said that she was "the top woman runner week in and week out" in the Lakes Region League races. O'Connell entered Tilton as a junior this fall.

The Tilton varsity cross-country team finished third in the Lakes Region championship and fourth in the New England Class C championships.

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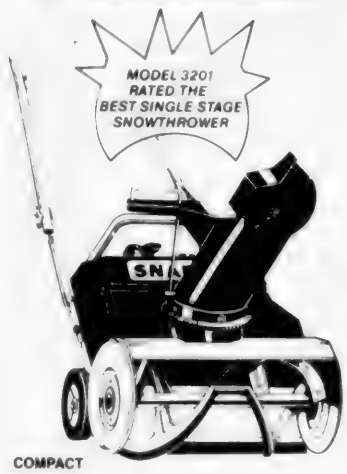
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Chris Halecki (4 goals) and Danny Hansberry (3) each recorded a hat trick in an 8-2 victory over North Reading. Andover jumped to an early lead when Hansberry scored his first, unassisted, at 1:12 of the first period. Halecki notched his first 37 seconds later with an assist from Mark Escott. After a North Reading goal, Hansberry and Halecki each scored again to put Andover up 4-1. Hansberry scored his third goal on a rebound in the second period. Goalie Phil Smith thwarted many North Reading breakaways. Halecki scored twice in the third period. Sean Donohue recorded the final tally. Assists were recorded by Dave Bailey, Donohue, Dana Difiore and Peter Volpe.

Hansberry continued his scoring string in a close 3-1 victory over the Reading Squirt B's on Sunday. In a close fought game, marked by strong defensive plays and goaltending by both teams, Andover fought back from a 0-1 first-period deficit to record two unassisted goals by Donohue and Hansberry to take a 2-1 lead after two periods. Reading kept the pressure on in the third period, but goalie Smith and alert defensive play by the entire Andover team kept Reading off the scoreboard. Andover got its insurance goal early in the third period when Hansberry scored his second goal with assists from Mark Pirri and Jason Loomer. Strong performances were also turned in by Dave Alpert, Doug Batchelder, Matt Johnson and Tom Felago.


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# *PeeWee A's Drop Two On Weekend*

The Andover Hockey Association's PeeWee A's played one of their best team efforts of the year in a tough 1-0 loss to Wakefield. They deserved a better fate as they carried the play throughout the entire game. The team was inspired by strong backchecking from Ed Thistle and Todd Allard, tremendous defense from John Constantine, Brenden Finneran and Mike Walsh and offensive threats from Billy Owens and Bob Sheehan.

Andover had numerous scoring threats but came up empty. Owens was robbed as he broke through the Wakefield defense while Andover was shorthanded. Sheehan also split the defense, but fired his backhander just wide of the net.

Mike Daley was spectacular in goal stopping everything Wakefield shot at him. He blocked one direct shot with his face mask while sprawled across the goal mouth. Others adding to the team play included Sean Darwin, Darren Cianci, Pete O'Shea, Chris Pothier, Jay Coburn and Joe Liguori.

Andover had a 5-on-3 advantage in period three but came up empty. Wakefield scored the game's only goal with 33 seconds left in the game. Andover pulled its goalie, but time expired giving Wakefield the 1-0 victory.

The A's travelled north on Sunday for a non-league game with Concord, N.H. Concord scored first on a tip in, but Andover answered quickly as Allard connected on a hard slap shot off a Thistle feed from behind the net. The teams played evenly through two periods tied at 1-1. The third period was all Concord as they pulled away with four unanswered goals, giving them the 5-1 victory.




# Karate Tourney Winners

Seventeen competitors from the Andover branch of the Tae Kwon Do Karate Club recently participated in the fourth annual New England Championship Karate Tournament in Nashua, N.H.

There were more than 500 competitors from the Tae Kwon Do Karate Club and independent karate schools. Competition was held in sparring, forms and breaking and all events were divided by belt rank and age.

Andover winners were:

Adult Green Belt Division: Christian Mitchell, third place forms, honorable mention sparring; Bob Piantedosi, third place sparring, honorable mention forms; Rich Oberuc, honorable mention forms and sparring.

Adult White Belt Division: Liz Lane, second place sparring, honorable mention forms; Kevin Gerraghty, honorable mention forms, sparring and breaking; Bruce Lynn, honorable mention forms and sparring.

Junior Yellow Belt Division: Joanna Li, second place forms; Steven Li, honorable mention forms and sparring; Sean Piantedosi, honorable mention forms, sparring and breaking; Robin Piantedosi, honorable mention forms, sparring and breaking.

Junior White Belt Division: Todd Abernathy, honorable mention forms and sparring; Ryan Abernathy, honorable mention forms and sparring; David Bevacqua, honorable mention forms; Kent Conforti, honorable mention forms and sparring; Bret Labronte, honorable mention forms; Josh Lynn, honorable mention forms; Calvin Wang, honorable mention forms.

Black Belt Division: Mark Balboni, second place forms, honorable mention breaking and sparring; Larry Balboni, honorable mention forms; Cal Goldsmith, honorable mention forms and sparring.

The Tae Kwon do Karate Club holds classes every Wednesday evening at the nights of Columbus Hall on Brook Street. Visitors are always welcome.

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Rick Apgar

# *Awarded Letter In Soccer*

Rick Apgar, a senior at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., and resident of Andover, earned his second varsity letter in soccer, head coach Terry Jackson announced. Apgar also lettered as a manager of the team in 1983 and 1984 when he was sidelined with a serious knee injury.

A key reserve at forward for the Cardinals this season, he is a hustling, aggressive player with an excellent field sense. Apgar was welcomed back as player last season after a long rehabilitative process following major knee surgery. He assisted on two goals this season.

After a 5-6-2 record in 1985, the Wesleyan men's soccer team got off to a quick 4-0-1 start and finished with a respectable 7-5-1 record for the 1986 campaign. All seven of the Cardinal victories were shutouts, including 1-0 wins over perennial power Babson and intrastate rivals Coast Guard and Trinity, which highlighted the 1986 season.

The son of Scott and Pam Apgar of Bancroft Road, Apgar is a 1983 graduate of Phillips Academy where he was awarded All-New England honors in soccer and lacrosse and letteresd three times in ice hockey. He is playing varsity ice hockey at Wesleyan for the first time this year and has contributed significantly already with two goals and two assists in the opening five games. Apgar is also a standout for the lacrosse team in the spring. A computer major, he is senior class treasurer and has been involved with the Wesleyan Student Assembly, the student government organization.




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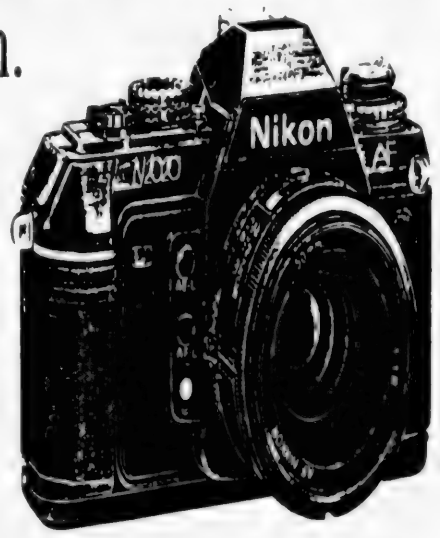


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# CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

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**Christmas Message**

Music:
Prelude
"Lift Up Your Heads" Heinrich Schutz
"In Dulci Jubilo Michael Praetorius
Hymns
"Once in Royal David's City"
"Angels We Have Heard on High"
"Il le ne Le divin enfant" French Carol
"Christians Awake"
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
"Away In The Manger"
"In the Bleak Midwinter"
"Silent Night"
"Hark the Herald Angels"
Anthem:
"Noel We Sing" Louis-Claude d'Aquin
**11:30 P.M. Contemplative Candlelight Service, Schola Cantorum Holy Communion**
THURSDAY: Christmas Day; 10 a.m. Holy communion

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church**
**Rev. Alexander S. Daley, Rector**
**390 Main St., North Andover**

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. First and Third Sundays, Holy Communion and Sermon; Other Sundays, Morning Prayer and Sermon; 10 a.m. Church School.
THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Holy Communion.

## Jewish

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FRIDAY: 8:15 p.m. Sabbath Service.
SATURDAY: 9 a.m. Chapel Service; 10:30 a.m. Sanctuary -Bar/Bat Mitzvah Service.
SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Chapel Service.

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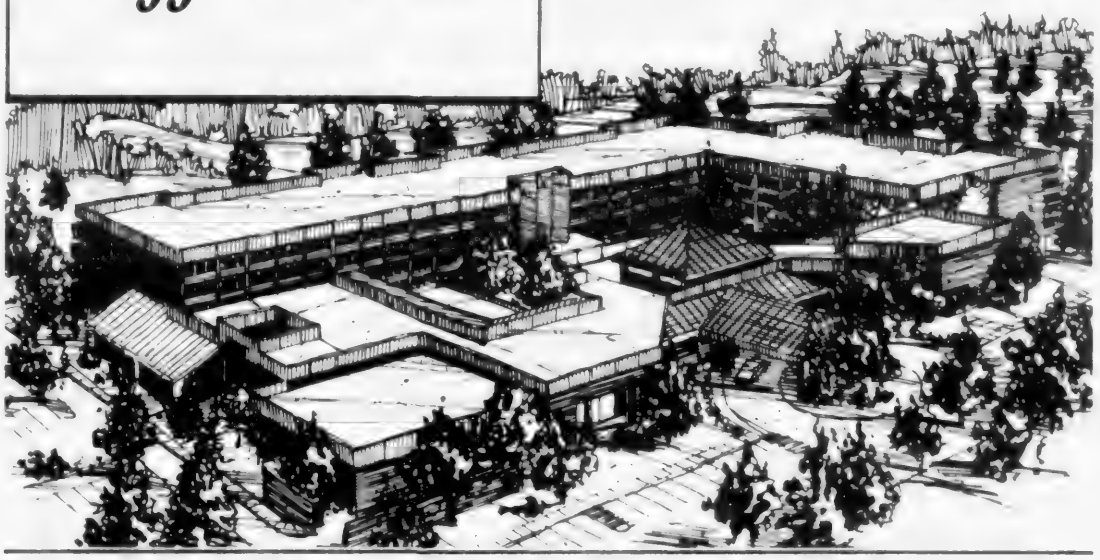
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# CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

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SUNDAY: 9 a.m. and sundown.

**Temple Emanuel**
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FRIDAY: 8 p.m. Evening Service.
SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Sunday School; 10 a.m. Morning Adult Coffee.

## Lutheran

**Faith Lutheran Church**
**Rev. Dennis Kohl, Pastor**
**360 So. Main St., Andover**

SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m. Spoken Holy Communion.
SUNDAY: Advent IV; 8:30 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion, Nursery care provided.

**December 24, 7:30 p.m.**
**Candlelight Service of**
**Lessons and Carols**
**Pre-Service Music**

From Heaven Above to Earth I Come
Zachau
Noel En Musette Charpentier
Hark the herald Angels Sing
Mendelssohn
Bring A Torch Jeannette, Isabella
Uehlein
O Little Town of Bethlehem Held
Pat-A-Pan Arr. Hopson
Christmas Wish (Youth Choir) Held
Shepherds Shake Off Your Drowsy Sleep (Senior Choir) Young
Hymn
"O Come, All Ye Faithful"
Dialog
First Reading: Isaiah 9.6-7; Micah 5.2
Hymns
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
"Angels, From the Realms of Glory"
Second Reading: Luke 2.1-7
Hymns
"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"
Third Reading: Luke 2.8-20
Response
"Were You There" (Youth Choir)
Sleeth
Hymn
"The First Noel"
Sermon
Music during Offering
"Beside Thy Manger" (Senior Choir)
J.S. Bach
Hymn
"Silent Night, Holy Night!
Prayer of the Day
Prayers
Benediction
Hymn
"Joy to the World"
Postlude
"Joy to the World Gehrke
Choir Director: Kay Foltz; Organist: Karin Kohl; Clarinet: Jim Foltz; Piano: Patricia Carlisle; The Rev. Dennis P. Kohl, Pastor.

**December 24, 11 P.M.**
**Candlelight Service of**
**Holy Communion**
**Pre-Service Music**

Pastoral Air with variations
Murschhauser
Quittez Pasteurs Rogues
From Heaven Above to Earth I Come
Held
A Child is Born in Bethlehem Kauffman
When Christmas Morn is Dawning
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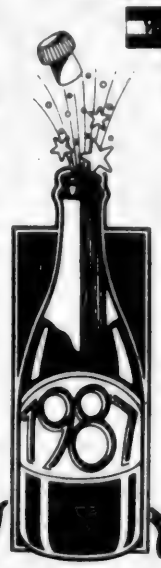
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# CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

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Hymn of Praise
"Oh, Come, All Ye Faithful"
Prayer of the Day
First Lesson: Isaiah 9.2-7
Second Lesson: Titus 2.11-14
Hymn
"Angels We Have Heard on High"
Holy Gospel: St. Luke 2.1-20
Sermon
Hymn of the Day
"Away in a Manger"
Nicene Creed
Prayers
Peace
Offering Music
"Of the Father's Love Begotten" Held
Offertory Hymn
"What Child Is This"
Great Thanksgiving
Distribution of Holy Communion
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"
"The First Noel, Rejoice Rejoice This Happy Morn"
Blessing
Hymn
"Silent Night, Holy Night!"
Prayer
Benediction
Hymn
"Good Christian Friends Rejoice"
Dismissal
Postlude
"Good Christian Friends Rejoice"
Held

SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m. Spoken Holy Communion.

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WEDNESDAY: 6:45 p.m. Prelude Music; 7 p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelight Service.

**Christmas Eve**
**Candlelight Service**
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"O Come All Ye Faithful"
Anthem
"Gloria" Vivaldi
The Christmas Story in Music and Readings
Reading - Isaiah 9:6-7
Carol
"It Came Upon A Midnight Clear"
Reading - Luke 2:1-7
Carols
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
"The First Noel"
Reading - Luke 2:8-14
Carol
"Hark The Herald Angels Sing"
Reading - Luke 2:15-20
Carol
"Angels We Have Heard On High"
Offertory
"Away In A Manger"
Reading - from E. B. White
Christmas Message
"Christmas Is Where The Heart Is"
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Anthem
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Michael Jothen
Diane Klein, Debbie Zahka, Barbara Spencer
Carol
"Silent Night"
SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Holiday Brunch; 11

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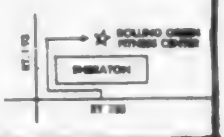


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# CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

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a.m. Worship Service.
WEDNESDAY: New Year's Eve Party.

## United Church of Christ

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**Rev. Herbert J. Schumm**
**72 Elm St., North Andover**

SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Worship Service, Church School.

**West Parish Church**
**(United Church of Christ)**
**129 Reservation Rd., Andover**
**Rev. Dirkje F. Legerstee**
**Pastor**

SUNDAY: Fourth Sunday in Advent; 10:30 a.m. Service of Worship - Family Sunday, Christmas Sunday; Dr. Larry L. Larsen, guest preacher, will give the sermon: "Christmas Spirit"; The Scripture readings: Matthew 1:18-25; I Corinthians 12:4-11; Philippians 2:1-11; Coffee Hour immediately following the service in Fellowship Hall hosted by Phyllis & Dennis Klockow; Greeting the congregation will be Katherine & Frank Leith; The Advent candle will be lighted by Christine Allard and family; Church School children will be in the sanctuary for first part of service; Infant/Toddler care during worship; 5 p.m. Annual Christmas Pageant "On the Green"

**7:30 P.M. December 24**
**Candlelight Family Service**

The Rev. Dirkje F. Legerstee, Associate Minister; Mark Peterson, Director of Music.
Prelude
Joseph Est Bien Marie J. Balbastre

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The English started the custom of cleaning the chimney on New Year's Day. This was supposed to bring good luck to the household during the coming year.


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# CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

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Processional Hymn
"O Come, All Ye Faithful"
Lighting of the Advent and Christmas Candles
Hymn
"The First Noel"
Prophetic Reading from the Hebrew Bible Isaiah 9:2-7
Hymn
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
Annunciation Luke 1:26-38
Hymn
"What Child Is This, Who, Laid to Rest"
Journey to Bethlehem Luke 2:1-7
Musical Section
Angelic Choir Luke 2:8-14
Hymn
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"
Shepherds at the Manger Luke 2:15-20
Hymn
"Away in a Manger"
Sermon
Doxology
Sounding of Christmas Bell
Candle Lighting by the Congregation
Hymn
"Silent Night"
The Lord's Prayer
Benediction
Carol
"Joy to the World! the Lord Is Come"

**11 P.M. December 24**
**Candlelight Service**

Ms. Faith Johnson, Secretary, Human Development, U.C.C. Board for Homel and Ministries; Guest Preacher; The Rev. Dirkje F. Legerstee, Associate Minister; Mark Peterson, Director of Music.

Prelude - Von Himmel - hoc, da komm ich her J. Pachelbel
Introit
O Sanctissma
Welcome and Greetings
Call to Worship
Hymn of Gathering
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"
Lighting of the Advent and Christmas Candles
Choral Piece

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"There are many community people who are very supportive of the hospital," commented Mallen. "We wanted to create an event which would provide them with an opportunity to have a good time, as well as share their generosity with Bon Secours."

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The Can-Can benefit committee leadership includes Joseph Rokous, M.D. of North Andover, ticket co-chairperson; Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Scully of North Andover, program chairpersons; and Richard K. Mallen of North Andover, reception chairperson.

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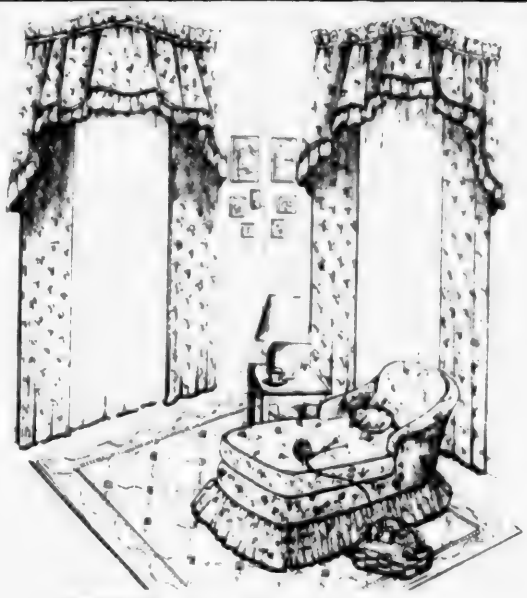


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# CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

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Lil est Ne, Le Divin Enfant
Trad. French
Reading from the New Testament
Luke 2:1-20
Carol
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
Sermon
Solo
"Jesu Bambino"
Jane Cormier Peterson, Soloist
Call to Prayer
Anthem
"In Dulci Jubilo" D. Buxtehude
Sounding of the Christmas Bell
Candle Lighting by Congregation
Hymn
"Silent Night"
Doxology
Recessional Carol
"Joy to the World! the Lord Is Come"
Benediction
Postlude
Church Sonata in D Major for Organ & Strings

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SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Service of Worship. The Rev. Dr. Raymond F. Pendleton, Interim Senior Pastor will bring the Christmas message. Special music will feature a brass quartet and the combined choirs: The Processional will be led by the Carol Choir, followed by the Sanctuary Choir, singing "The Processional" with "Celebrate" and "O Come All Ye Faithful", arranged by Ronn Huff. The anthem is "Glory to God in the Highest" by Pergolesi.

**Christmas Eve Family Service**
**December 24, 5 P.M.**

Lessons and Carols: The Christmas Story from Luke with familiar carols sung by all the congregation.

The Holy Family, Angels and Shepherds will be portrayed in pageant and song. The Children's Choir and Handbell Choirs will assist several soloists.

Music:
"Hodie"
"Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus"
"So Gentle the Donkey"
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
"In a Little Stable"
"Come, Run Ye Shepherds"
"Angels We Have Heard On High"

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## Tape

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incident at the Saturday meeting concerned a breach of courtesy, rather than freedom of access. Explained board member Jane Griswold, "A guy came who has a hearing aid; he taped us. He didn't tell us ahead of time that he taped us."

Griswold said that Attorney Zollner told the man that he should have let the board know, as a courtesy, that he was taping them.

The man reacted angrily, she said. Griswold speculated that his rage was, at least in part, fueled by his negative feelings toward one of the cases being discussed that day by the board.

She added that it was not the board's intention to thwart or bar the taping—and that they did not attempt to do so.

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# CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

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"How Far Is It to Bethlehem?"
"On Christmas Night All Christians Sing"
"Some Children See Him"
"Silent Night"
"Joy to the World"

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**December 24, 11 P.M.**

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SUNDAY: 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour; 11:45 a.m. Auditions for Solos, Christmas Eve Service; 4:30 p.m. "Silent Night" Lawrence Common; 7 p.m. Senior Pilgrim Fellowship, College/Career.
MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Board of World Service.
TUESDAY: 4 p.m. Treble Chorus; 7:30 p.m. People Need People; 8 p.m. Ping Pong.
WEDNESDAY: 6:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship; 9:30 a.m. "Women Who Knew God; Adult Bible Study; 3:30 p.m. Cherub Choir; 4 p.m. Carol Choir; 4-7:30 p.m. Junior Pilgrim Fellowship; 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 73; 8 p.m. Prayer Group.
THURSDAY: 4 p.m. Handbells; 7:30 p.m. Junior High Staff; Prospective New Members Social; Sanctuary Choir.

## United Methodist

**Ballard Vale United Church**
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**Rev. Gary S. Cornell**
**23 Clark Road, Andover**

SUNDAY: The Fourth Sunday in Advent. A Family Service of Advent-Christmas 10:30 a.m.; the Rev. Gary S. Cornell, preaching "God With Us" Church School 9:30 a.m.; Adult Class, Nursery Care 10:30 a.m.; Fellowship Time 11:30 a.m.; All are welcome. Parish Christmas Caroling 4 p.m.; Open house at the Parsonage 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. A Family Christmas Eve Service of Holy Communion

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SUNDAY: Christmas Sunday: 9:15 a.m. Church School - Nursery through Grade 12; 10 a.m. Choir rehearsal; 10:30 a.m. Worship - Nursery Care. Prelude: Overture from Handel's Messiah - Handel; Anthems: "The Heavens Are Telling" - Simper; "songs of Joy" - Thompson; Postlude "Christmas Postlude" - Wilson; Scripture: Isaiah 7:10-16; Romans 1:1-7; Matthew 1:18-25; Sermon: "Good News for You"; Children's Message: "The Best Christmas Gift"; The Sacrament of Baptism; Reception of New Members; 6 p.m. Youth Fellowship - Grades 6-12.

**WEDNESDAY: DEC. 24**
**"CHRISTMAS EVE" 7 P.M.**
"A Service of Carols and Candlelighting"
Prelude:
"The Night of Christmas" Rasley
Solo:
"In the Bleak Midwinter" Rossetti
Soloist: Mrs. Shirley Wilson; Organist: Mrs. Alsine Cotney.
Solo:
"O Holy Night" Adam
Soloist: Mr. George Massey
Violin Solo:
"The Angel's Serenade" Braga
Soloist: Mr. Robert Anderson
Postlude:

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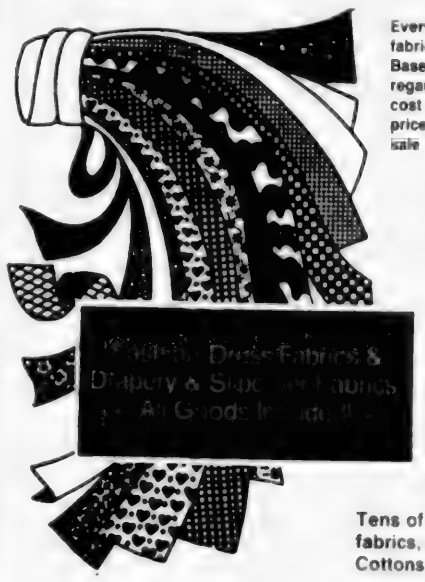
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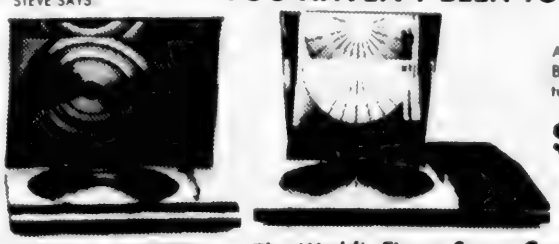
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Secretary of State Michael J. Connolly has requested members of the legal community to help both themselves and the office's corporations division by submitting year-end corporate filings well in advance of the desired date.

"Filing activity is so heavy in the last few days of December that not all documents can be approved and processed in time to effect a December 31 filing date," he said.

According to Connolly, the year-end rush is particularly acute with regard to corporate dissolutions and limited partnership filings. Corporate dissolutions should be submitted to the corporations division by December 23 to ensure a December 31 filing date. Limited partnership filings submitted in proper form by 4 p.m. on December 31 will receive that effective date.

Connolly added that in order to expedite the processing of properly submitted limited partnership documents at the year end, the examination clerks will be unable to provide immediate service of requests for limited partnership legal certificates and certified copies.

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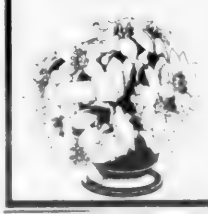
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# *Odyssey*

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During their South African module, students also sampled the country's artwork and made their own "calabash prints." These simple repetitive patterns, stamped on paper with a carved vegetable (in South Africa, says Cook, they use the calabash—hence the name), hang in the school hallway. Written beneath the graphics, and blending with them, are the students' own observations and quotations about the racially-divided country.

The sentiments beneath the rather primative art are strong. For example, one student stamped a pattern in which interlocking waves form a rounded yin-/yang figure. Beneath it she wrote, "The black wave will erode the white sandcastles."

Also for the South African segment of the course, the students are bringing a Theatre of Newburyport production, SIZWE BANSI IS DEAD, to the Collins Center. The play treats upon personal aspects of apartheid.

Although Simpson did most of the actual legwork to bring the production to town, the students have been putting out publicity and selling tickets to others at Andover High School.The production will be staged tonight, Dec. 18, at 7:30—a night performance was considered appropriate, says Simpson, because the students thought other Andover residents should also have the opportunity to attend. Tickets will be available at the door.

Because of such curriculum features as the use of art and outside research, the unitiated might wonder if Odyssey might not be a "gut" course—an easy two credits. Others might consider it, at a glance, as a spontaneous "hippy-dippy" class for which the teachers do not have to prepare.

Neither, say both the teachers and their students, is true.

Cook says that the course work must be plotted well in advance precisely because of its fluid structure and interdisciplinary approach. "It's *very* structured," she says. "I can tell you what we're doing on June first by looking at my calendar because of the nature of the beast."

Simpson adds that he has asked non-participating students who were, he thought, primary candidates for Odyssey why they didn't take the course; some have told him that they didn't have time for the heavy courseload.

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*"A friend recommended the class to me," says the student as he picks through the "Science and Medicine" materials.*

*Well? he is asked. Is it a good class?*

*"There are certain times—like 12:00 at night, when you're in the middle of a report—when it doesn't look so good," he says.*

*Across the room, someone suggests that the little blue books under "Home and Family" are tally sheets for the game Mah Jong.*

*Members of another group lift delicate*

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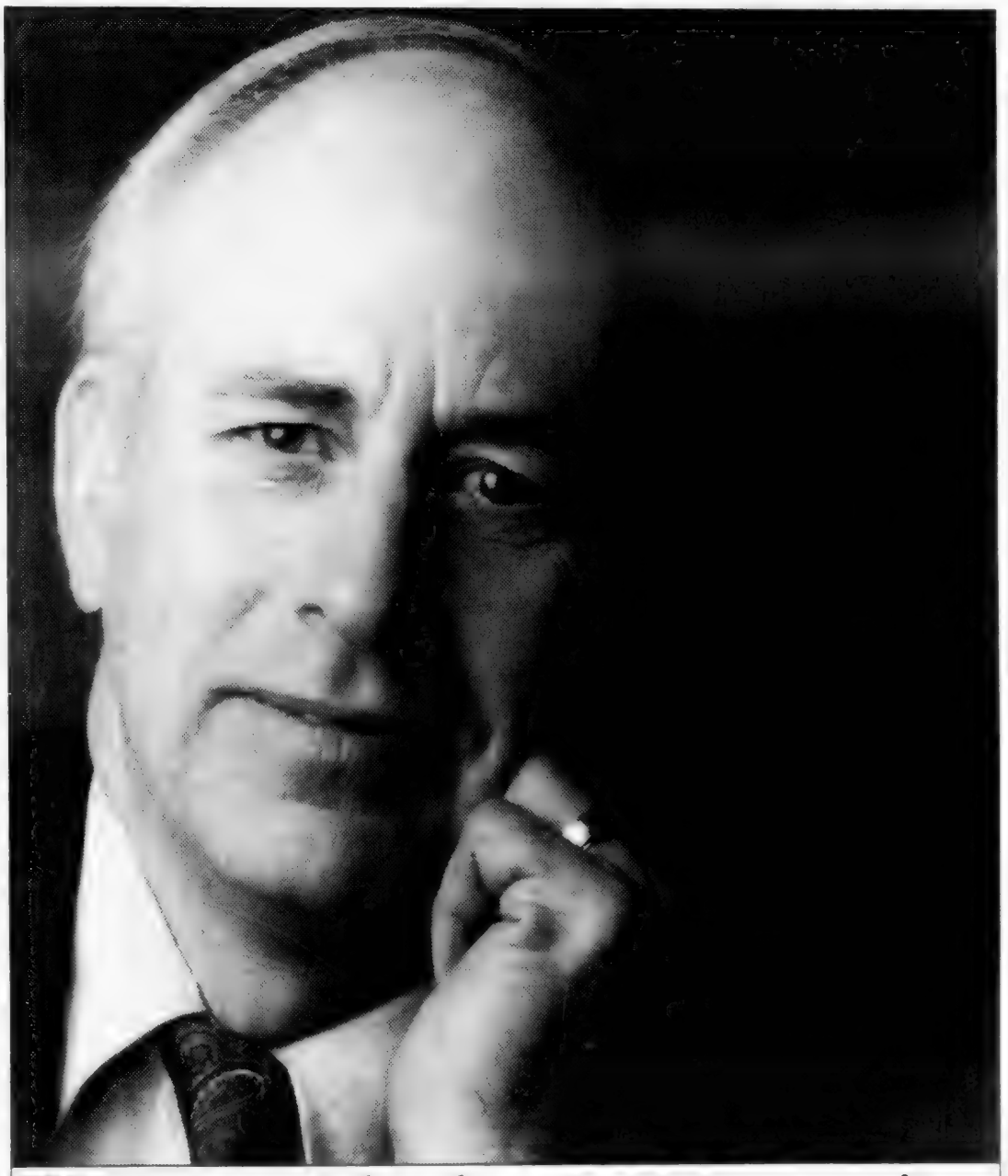


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by David A. Clement, Designer

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## Down The Years

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The all-night parking ban went into effect Wednesday. The winter parking regulations, designed to help combat storms, prohibits parking on any raod or public way between the hours of 1 a.m. and 6 a.m. from Dec. 1 through April 1.

Andover Fire Lieutenant Alfred Desrosiers has resigned his post and has taken up residence in Florida. The open position will probably be filled by a provisional appointee.

The annual street listing by assistant assessors has not yet begun, Town Clerk Elden Salter advises. Several calls to the town clerk's office in recent weeks indicates that someone is asking questions.

## Christmas

Holiday decorations by the Four Seasons Garden Club adorn the main reading room at Memorial Hall Library where the library's collection of Christmas books are on special display. As a special treat, the Friends of the Library will provide coffee and doughnuts each morning from December 16-24. Two new publications compiled by the library's staff, book lists for holiday giveing for children and adults with suggestions for book-lovers and hard-to-please relatives, are also available.

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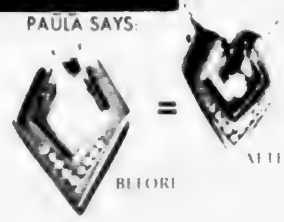
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## Odyssey

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*works of cut-out art from tissue paper folders at the "Art" station. "I thought it would be interesting to learn about other cultures," says one of the group, a girl. "It's hard, but it's fun; it's worth it. You get a lot out of class."*

*"It helps in other classes, too," adds another girl. "The writing and everything."*

*A third girl says that there is a "very good relationship between the teachers and the students."*

*"What have I learned from the class." muses a boy at the "Science and Medicine" display. "Well, I've learned that I don't like Spain and I don't like South Africa. Spain's too dirty. South Africa—there such a mess going on over there."*

*He sighs. "Maybe I'll like China," he says.*

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Andover Superintendent of Schools Kenneth Seifert gives Odyssey high marks—and his full support.

Seifert has made his opinion that the student should take responsibility for his own education well-known. He has publicly stressed the importance of "think skills" over rote learning. In short, Seifert appreciates the theory that makes Odyssey what it is.

The superintendent also says that he likes the program's flexibility and its mixture of teaching approaches—the combination of teacher lectures, student leadership, group skills and mentorship on a one-to-one basis. He also considers the interdisciplinary approach an example of the class of the future.

"Some of the things we're trying to do throughout the entire school system are embodied in this program," he says.

So why is there only one Odyssey course?

According to Seifert, there are not enough available resources to support the planning necessary to start a number of such inter-disciplinary, team-taught programs. It takes money for planning and the pay for its high teacher-to-student ratio. Also, it takes time—"You don't just take three or four teachers, throw them together, and say, 'Make me an Odyssey program,' " he says.

Also, said Seifert, not every teacher can or wishes to teach a course like Odyssey. Some teachers who function well and are comfortable in a traditional classroom setting would not enjoy or work well with the course's flexible instruction methods and team approach.

"If you didn't have the kind of people to work well with that approach," he says, "there's no doubt that it could be a disaster."

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*10:45 a.m.*

*The students take their seats once again. Time is short; there are only five minutes left—time for one comment on the displays from each group.*

*Someone reveals that his group has decided that the little blue books under*

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## *Odyssey*

*"Home and Family" are schedule books for the use of birth control.*

*Correct. "We have maybe one group per year that figures it out," says Cook.*

*Another student says that she was impressed by the use of walls and boundaries in the art. The isolation it implies.*

*"Tell us what you feel it means," says Cook.*

*The student says she feels that the culture does not necessarily fear people leaving; it might fear them coming in. "It's xenophobia," she says.*

*Cook beams. "You get your 'A' for the day," she says.*

*Because, as Cook later explains, xenophobia is much of what the course is about.*

### Crafts Show

The last of nine shows presented by Herbert Spear of Coastal Artisans, Lincolnville Beach, Maine, will be held at the Lakeside Rooms of The Lord Wakefield Motor Inn on Sunday, Dec. 21, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will feature a unique assortment of mor than 30 New England and local crafts people. Some of the items include sterling silver jewelry, pottery, quilting, bird carving, floral arrangents, wooden toys and Christmas items.

### On Duty

Army 2nd Lt. Anne R. Mackie, daughter of Wilfred and Anne Mackie, 9 Nancy Circle, Andover, has arrived for duty with the 21st Combat Aviation Company, West Germany.

She is a platoon leader.

### Print Night

The Lawrence Camera Club will meet Thursday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.. downstairs in the Bank of New England-Bay State Building, 84 Main St., Andover (next to Brigham's). Guests are welcome.

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# In-Service Day Switched To Allow Paideia Program

By Karen L. Day

The administration requested that the School Committee change the full in-service day scheduled for Monday, Feb. 2, to Monday, Feb. 9.

According to Assistant Superintendent Lois Haslam, this would enable Mortimer Adler, one of the principal developers of The Paideia Principal to join school administration and staff, significantly advancing work on the Paideia seminars in the Andover Schools.

School administration and Horace Mann teachers have participated in Paideia seminars, but this would be an opportunity to involve the entire staff of the schools.

There are three main objectives in the Paideia principle: to encourage every child to make the most of his abilities; to provide preparation for students to take on the duties and responsibilities of citizenship; and considers the need for the adult to earn a living in one field or another.

After viewing a ten-minute video tape of the Paideia seminars in action throughout the school system, the board approved the date change with Committee member Susan Poore commenting that some school committee members may like to participate in the in-service day activities with Adler.

Committeeman Donald Robb asked if it would be possible to one day have students running their own seminars and was told that it may work out that way.

According to Superintendent Kenneth Seifert, the students take issue with one another in a reasonable fashion. Although they may now be discussing Great Books, the training will aid them in discussing other issues in a reasonable manner. This, Seifert said, would lead to true freedom of speech and good citizenship.

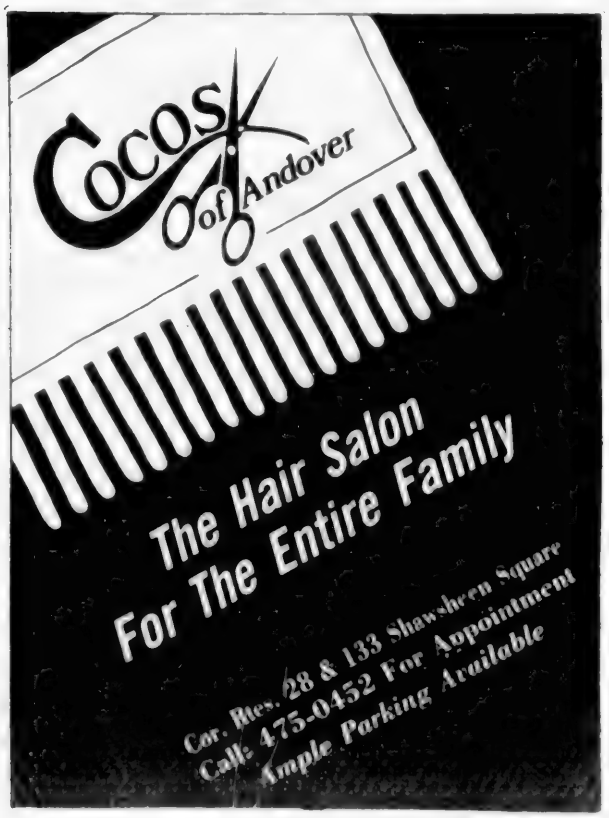
Haslam then presented the committee with the new report card for the first grade students in Andover. The revised format consists of a single page while the old type had three pages.

The new format was developed by teachers and instructional specialists and reviewed by parents. The goal of the revision was to coincide more with the report card used by the Early Childhood Center, to streamline the grade recording system and to reflect new curriculum initiative.

After the committee approved the revision, Haslam commented that they would now be working on the revisions of report cards for grades two through six.

Seifert and Haslam also reported to the committee regarding the first elementary leadership training institute.

"To assume that social studies is teaching citizenship is stretching it," commented Seifert. According to Haslam, two more such institutes are planned in addition to a possible meeting with the student government of Andover High School. "If we have high expectations of the kids (at the elementary level), they will rise to it."


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# Arrested On Pipe Bomb Charge

Elefterios Karakostas, 41, 158 Butler St., Lawrence, has been arrested on charges of placing an explosive device at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Surrett, 80 Walnut Ave., Andover, on the morning of Nov. 20.

Beginning in September, the Surretts began receiving threatening letters and notified the police department which assigned Det. Kevin Burke to investigate.

In the early hours of Nov. 20, around 2 a.m., while the Surretts slept, a pipe bomb exploded on their property and "moved walls, broke windows, and pushed the bathroom sink" from its location.

According to Detective Lieutenant John Houlihan, a state bomb expert, Joseph Sainato, with 30 years experience, commented that the bomb was the second largest pipe bomb he'd ever seen. From fragments remaining after the explosion, Sainato surmised that the bomb was 12 inches long and had a two-inch diameter.

Houlihan does not believe that Karakostas intended to harm anyone physically, but simply to scare them. If he had intended physical injury, he would not have placed it on the back door landing, but in another location.

Karakostas, the manager of the Dunkin Donuts in Shawsheen Square, had been dating the Surrett's 18-year-old daughter, Jennifer, who worked at the Dunkin Donuts. When she left him to move out of state, she began receiving threatening letters at her new residence, while others were sent to her parents.

After the bombing, the letters continued. It is believed that Karakostas may have hoped to bring Jennifer back to the area by threatening her parents.

On Friday, Dec. 12, the investigating team assigned after the bombing, consisting of Houlihan, Burke and Det. David Grant, obtained a search warrant for Karikostas' home in conjunction with Det. Danahy of the Lawrence police department.

During the search, the detectives found a number of letters written in Greek, Karikostas' native language, and had them translated. Some were similar to those sent to the Surrett's and a number of them were exact duplicates of those sent, only these were written in Greek.

A pre-trial hearing is scheduled in Salem Superior Court on Dec. 23. If Karikostas is convicted, he faces up to 20 years in prison and a $25,000 fine.

# *Fire Log*

The following is a report of the activities of the Andover Fire Department from December 9-15:

Dec. 9 - 146 Dascomb Road, Brockway Smith, defective sprinkler system; Morton Street, Academy Manor Nursing Home, trouble within system; 174 Andover St., Diane LeBlanc, leaky gas valve on stove; 43 River Road, Doyle Lumber Co., system trouble; A5 Frye Circle, Andover Housing Authority, medical assist; 77 Main St., House of Clean, accidental alarm; North Reading, mutual aid; 122 North Main St., Edward Smeltzer, house fire; Route 128 at Gould Road, investigation.

Dec. 10 - 4 Twin Brook Circle, June O'Connor, forced house entry; 24 School St., N.E. Document Center, accidental alarm; Lowell Junction Road, BTL, investigation; 25-33 Central St., Christ Church, accidental alarm; Chapel Avenue, Addison Gallery, faulty alarm; Off Rock Ridge Road, Monican Center Merrimack College, faulty alarm.

Dec. 11 - Off Shawsheen Road, Town of Andover, power outage; 25 Central St., Christ Church, accidental alarm; 8 Ardmore Court, North Andover, mutual aid; 83 Lowell St., Lawrence Levine, investigation; 541 Lowell St., Karen Scarelli, car fire.

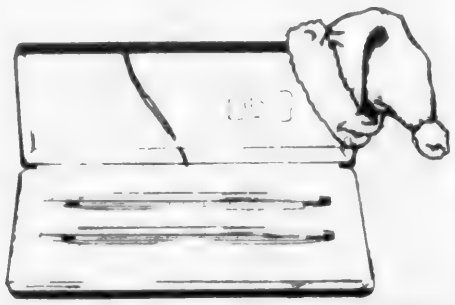
Dec. 12 - Morton Street, Academy Manor Nursing Home, medical assist; Dascomb and Frontage Road, investigation; Ballardvale Road and South Main Street, MVA, medical assist.

Dec. 13 - 131 River Road, Koala Inn, accidental alarm; 3 Belleisle Way, Mary F. Migliorino, medical assist; 195 Holt Road, medical assist.

Dec. 14 - 10 Tantallion Road, Multi-Core, Inc., building fire; Rattlesnake Hill and Foster's Pond Roads, Town of Andover, investigation; 23-25 Central St., Christ Church, accidental alarm; 1 Punchard Avenue, Clarie M. Sullivan, boiler malfunction; 131 River Road, Koala Inn, trouble in system.

Dec. 15 - Off Bartlet Street, Town of Andover, faulty smoke detector; Off Bartlet Street, Town of Andover, faulty smoke detector; Route 495, Ford Motor Credit, car fire; 140 Haverhill St., Doctor's Park, overheated transformer; North Main Street and Railroad Avenue, Tyer Industries, smoldering rubber fire; 10 Rock-O-Dundee Road, Dina Lord, overheated washer motor; Off River Road, Cocoran Management Corp, trash fire.


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Thursday night, several Andover High School athletes were honored in an awards program at the Collins Center for their talent and competitive spirit during the football season.

Senior Gus Duffy was awarded the Eugene Lovely Memorial Trophy as the varsity football team's most valuable player. Richard Bourdelais received the Gus Connolly Memorial Trophy for outstanding attitude; Steve Redgate, the Edward Collins Memorial Trophy as outstanding back; and Brian Costello, the Charles Maurikas Memorial Trophy for outstanding lineman.

The following players were given game balls for excellence in individual games: John Gangi (Lawrence), Greg Brucato (Haverhill), James Clarke (Wilmington), Peter Barry (Billerica), Brian Lannan (Dracut), Glen Allard (Tewksbury) and Jeff Driscol (Central Catholic).

Dracut High School senior quarterback Steve Talbot was awarded the Outstanding Opponent trophy.

Team captains elected for the 1987 football season were John Perry, Craig Buscema, Steve D'Urso and Devin Arsenault.

In addition, players on the junior and senior football teams were awarded their letters for the year.

The players also honored their cheerleading team.

The naranjilla, a relative of the tomato and potato with a taste like a combination of pineapples and apricots, is grown on high, rainy slopes of Andean valleys in South America.



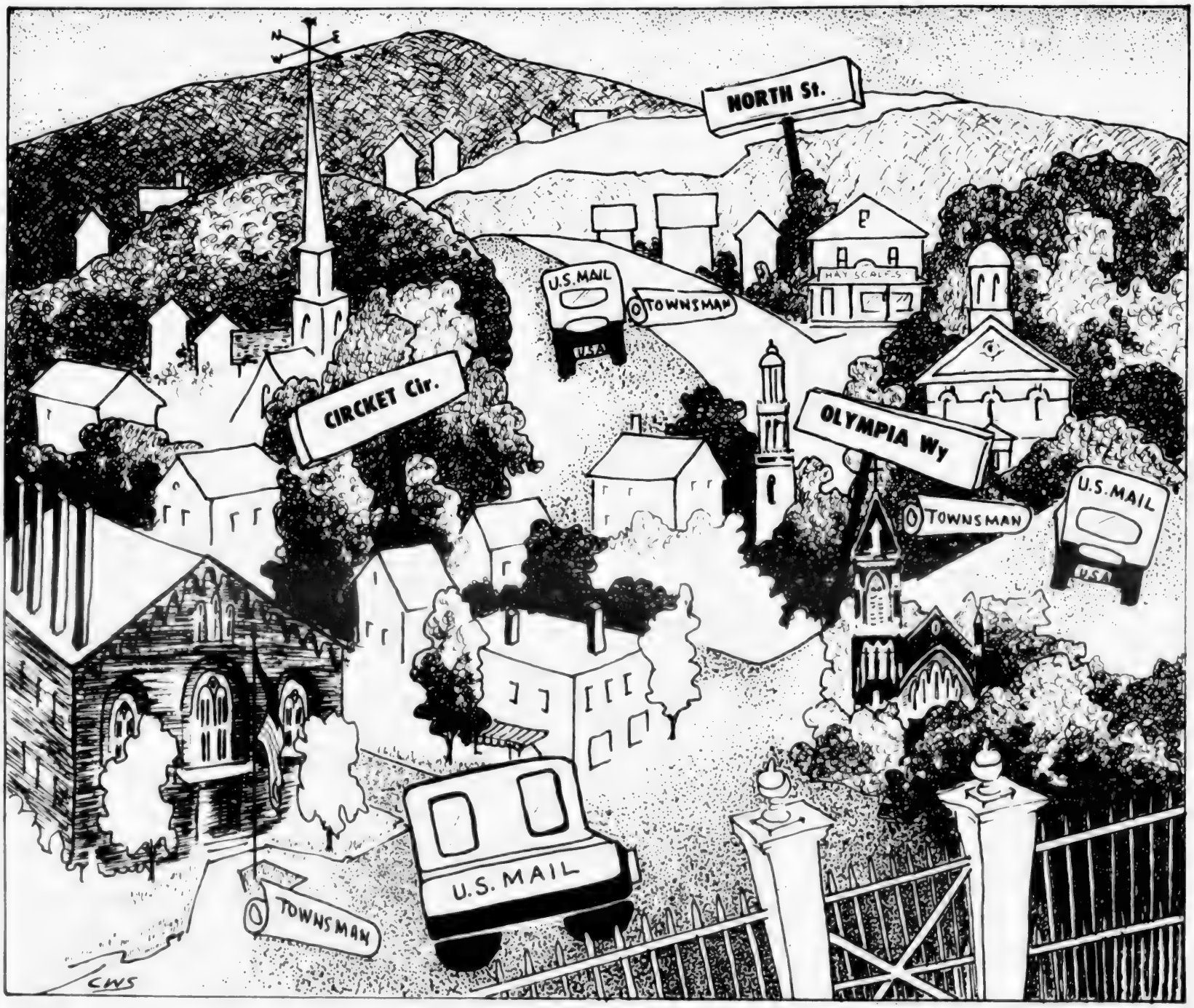














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# Phillips Has No Definite Plans For Abbott Campus

By Susan K. O'Neill

Contrary to rumors, say officials at Phillips Academy, there is nothing new to report about the potential re-use of the school's Abbott campus as a conference center.

In a brief report to the Planning Board last Tuesday night, Phillips Academy Chief Financial Officer Neil H. Cullen said that officials of the school have received a number of proposals for work that would turn the campus of the old girls' academy into a center, a use considered appropriate by the trustees. He said, however, that the trustees have not decided to act upon any of them at this point—although such action would be necessary now, if the school wished to seek voter approval for a building project at the next town meeting. "What we are going to announce to you," he told the board, "is that we are not going to force that timetable and go to town meeting at this point...We are in no hurry."

Cullen said that the trustees will continue to discuss the conference center concept, and to explore other options for the campus, with developers. "Also, we'll look at the campus and see if there might be a use that Phillips could make of it," he added.

At the meeting, the Planning Board also:

• Unanimously approved definitive plans for the "Quailcrest" subdivision, to be located off High Plain Road. Plans originally stipulated that the subdivision would comprise 65 lots; the developers have now eliminated six, for a revised total of 59. Approval was given subject to the issuance of approval by the Board of Health, and subject to 37 conditions listed by the planning staff. These include the submission of a sequenced building schedule, allowing the opening of no more than 10 lots at any time, and an agreement that no materials are to be removed from the site during construction.

• Unanimously approved the updating of its "Rules and Regulations Governing the Subdivision of Land," originally issued in 1974 and amended a number of times since. Once it is printed, the new rulebook will be available at the Office of Community Planning and Development in the town hall.

• Reviewed site plans for a new central office, planned for a location off Old River Road and Route 93, for The Andover Companies. The new building, to be constructed in a style in keeping with the Companies' present Shawsheen Village headquarters, will contain 105,000 sq.ft. of space and will overlook the Merrimack River.

• Reviewed site plans for an expension of Atty. Reginald Marden's Central Street law office. Marden's proposals included a 2400 ft. addition and the creation of eight additional parking spaces.

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# Condo Permit Tops List

The Andover Condo Association tops the October list of town building permits issued with a new dwelling frame permit valued at $510,800 for property on Martingale Lane. The total estimated value of work to be done under permits issued in October is $2,704,047.

Other new dwelling permits issued are as follows:

Bradford Realty has obtained five single family welling permits and one foundation permit. The properties involved are 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 12 Patriot Drive, where homes valued at between $81,000 and $110,000 are being built and a foundation permit valued at $4,000 for 12 Patriot Drive.

Also:

Spring Valley Development has obtained four single family dwelling permits for property at 2, 4, 6, and 8 Sparta Way for homes valued at between $88,000 and $92,000. JaRo Construction has been given a permit for a foundation and a single family dwelling at 354 Salem St., valued at $117,500 for the dwelling and $4,000 for the foundation. Belmont Development has a foundation permit worth $4,000 for property at 27 Windmere Drive and a single family dwelling permit valued at $70,000 at 2 Dawn Circle.

Other foundation permits, valued at $4,000 each:

Colin Ahern, 5 Fairway Drive; Stephen Nawn, 78 Dascomb Road; Russell Ahern, 2 Blueberry Hill; Fred DiLisio, 3 Prospect Road; and Ken Mahony, 228 Salem St.

Non-Residential Permits include Robert Finlayson, 63 Park St. Village, tenant fit-up-attic, $5,000; Rosalie Dodd, 68 Park St., interior alterations, $2,500; Andover Savings, 159 River Road, foundation, $35,000; Andover Controls, York and Haverhill streets, fifth floor renovations, $60,000; Asoian and Tully, 12 Essex St., interior alteration, $5,000; P & S Realty Trust, 8—10 Florence St., alterations to existing kitchen, $10,000; McDonalds, 195 North Main St., add to rear of building, $25,000; and Visiting Nurse, 1 Union St., foundation only, $15,000.

Residential addition and alteration permits include the following:

Paul Tower, 11 Hartford Circle, two-story addition, $25,000; Robert Saunders, 369 Salem st., sky-lights, conversion of ceiling, $19,500; Franz Berkhart, 18 elm St., entrance way, $1,000; John Grasso, 56 Poor St., bedroom and bath addition, $18,000; Edward Cox, 71 Argilla Road, replace steps and doors, $3,000; James Driscoll, 34 Cutler Road, new porch, $5,000; C. Wetterberg, 85 Lowell St., change window, $2,000; Russell Arsenault, 10 Lakeside Circle, family room over the garage, $30,000; John Curry, 6 Forrest Drive, shed, $800; H.I.S. Association, 12 Bartlet St., two-story addition, $100,000.

Also:

Laurence Speidel, 83 Bartlet St., mud room, $5,500; Paul Gilday, 5 Lillian Terrace, sun room, $13,000; John Keohane, 170 Chestnut St., deck and exterior alterations, $8,500; Robert Castignetti, 23 Gavin Circle, room in basement, $5,000; Peter Smith, 124 Summer St., add deck and replace windows, $3,500; Charles Pelz, 3 Linda Road, remodel kitchen, $7,000; William Mitchell, 16 Corinthian Way, vinyl siding and new roof, $6,400; Vincent Caristo, 4 Seneca Circle, dining room addition, $10,000; Ron Clarke, 6 Agawam Lane, finish basement area, $2,000; Robert Farnham, 131 Chestnut St., garage addition, $8,000; Francis Hartwell, 5 Avon St., deck addition and kitchen remodeling, $8,000; Allan Eggert, 27 Wildrose Drive, master bedroom addition, $20,000.

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Also:

Frank Mundo, 5 Arrowood Lane, convert garage to family room, $10,000; Paul Dahlstrand, 5 Apple Blossom Road, screen porch, shed and deck addition,

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# Building

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$18,000; William Mitchell, 16 Korinthian Way, enclose porch, $3,500; Frank Babicki, 122 Greenwood Drive, tool shed, $950; James Pierce, 32 Martingale Lane, finish basement, $24,000; David Viola, 11 Cabot Road, wood frame addition, $16,000; James Yeh, 8 Fairfax Drive, family room addition, $28,900; Peter DeGennarro, 177—179 North Main St., convert two family to three family, $20,000; Clifford Jurdi, 8 Liberty St., foundation for addition, $4,000;C. L. Casanave, 3 Stinson Road, shed, $300; Kathleen Palumbo, 31—33 Washington Ave., repair front porch, $500; Malcolm MacLean, 15 Corbett St., insulation, $5,000.

Also:

Robert Barlow, 46 Hidden Road, replace three windows, $2,000; John Garabedian, 525 Lowell St., remove and replace existing deck, $2,000; Robert Jaworski, 88 Cross St., rebuild porch and add deck, $7,500; Magee Construction, 7 Orchard Crossing, enclose pool and add room, $35,500; Liping Ting, 5 Parthenon Circle, enclose deck, $4,200; Barry Connors, 73 School St., interior alterations, $2,500; Nell Wilson, 40 William St., greenhouse addition, $2,000; William Connor, 3 Enfield Drive, remove wall to enlarge family room, $6,000; Richard Krafton, 9 Union St., two-stall barn, $8,000; Charles Mullins, 6A Burnham Road, replace window and door, $2,500; Betty Phillips, 19 Apple Blossom Road, shed, $1,400; Tim Vaill, 9 Bancroft Road, barn with loft, $30,000; John Mitchell, 122 Bailey Road, attached garage, $15,000; John Taylor, 4 Elysian Drive, attick bedroom, $5,000.

Also:

Allan Stutz, 3 Athena Circle, convert porch to kitchen and addition, $20,000; Jonathan Taylor, 4 Elysian Drive, sun deck, $2,500; Kenny Chlebowski, 136 North St., shed, $2,000; Lawrence Kidd, 207 Lowell St., remove and erect porch, $1,000; John Lotto, 20 Olde Berry Road, kitchen alteration, $5,000; Richard Kenney, 62 Morton St., two-story addition, $35,000; and David Pinkney, 2 Ivanhoe Lane, shed, $1,000.

Other permits issued were:

Joyce Andover Realty, 89 North Main St., sign permit, $320; David Yoshida, 65 Greenwood Road, inground pool, $7,650; Tom Glynn, 22 Strawberry Hill Road, reroof, $2,100; Anthony Orifice, 5 Lupine Road, sign permit, $400;Don Williamson, 58 Prospect Road, wood stove and chimney, $450; Hewlett Packard, 3000 Minuteman Road, gate house, $2,500; Digital, Dascomb Road, office trailer; Don Schroeder, 204 Haggetts Pond Road, wood stove, $535; J. B. Doherty, South Main St., sign permit;Michael Parry, 18 Rennie Drive, inground pool, $11,600; Ross Fenton, 50 Salem St., woodstove w/chimney, $2,000; John Kuipers, 64 Morton St., strip and re-roof, $3,800; E & J Masie, 5A Lowell St., sign permit, $447; Edward Cox, 56 Central St., update chimney pipe and insulate, $890.

Also:

Ralph Greenwood, 93 Porter Road, strip and re-shingle garage roof, $500; Gerry Walch, 20 Seten Circle,inground gunite pool, $10,000; Mark Lunardo, 15 Sagamore Drive, wood/coal fireplace insert, $950; Tom Churchill, 195 Lowell St., gazebo, $1,000; Maryann Yuska, 8 Downing St., re-roof over shingles, $2,030; Peter Mullett, 32 Park St., sign permit, $500; Rahim Ashkeboussi, 11 Exeter Way, wood stove, $1,200; David Ataide, 11 Belle Haven Drive, inground pool, $15,000; Signe Kaleel, 113 Pine St., vinyl siding, $5,225; Thomas Rando, 39 Olde County Rd., gunite inground pool, $10,000; Colonial Drive Realty, Colonial Drive, repair fire damage, $10,000; Paul Campos, 46 Juniper Road, fireplace insert, $300; Gary Stitham, 1 Hacienda Way, inground pool, $10,000.

Also:

Gehr Gerald, 70 Summer St., strip and re-roof, $2,800; Paul McCarter, 4 Rachel Road, inground pool, $8,000; Lewis Curdo, 31 Woburn St., raze house and garage, $5,800; Mary Webber, 132 North St., raze shed, $500; Tim Vaill, 9 Bancroft Road, raze old barn, $3,000; Louis Finelli, 422 High Plain Road, wood stove, $400; JoRo Construction, 360 Salem St., raze barn; Robert LaPointe, 79 North Main St., sign permit, $500; Peter Mullett, 32 Park St., sign permit, $1,000; John Lyons, 5 Rennie Drive, inground pool, $7,000; Walter O'Connor, 27 Bancroft Road, wood stove, $1,400; Raymond McAlea, 51 Walnut St., strip and re-roof, $4,000; Tom Cunningham, 2 Orchard St., strip and re-roof, $2,500.

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Massachusetts posted a 4.2 percent unemployment rate for November, the 33rd consecutive month for which the Commonwealth has maintained the lowest unemployment rate of the nation's 11 large industrial states.

Nationally, the unemployment rate remained at 7 percent, identical to September and October's rate.

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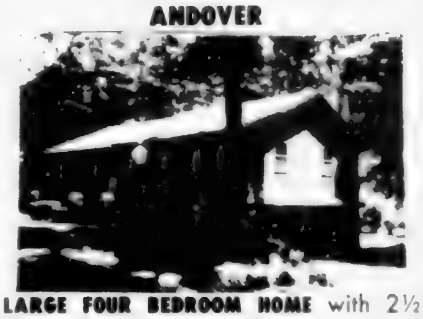


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**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**
**THE TRIAL COURT**
**THE PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT**
**Essex Division**
**Docket No. 86P2996-E1**

Estate of **Santina M. Torrisi**, otherwise known as **Santina Torrisi** late of Andover in the County of Essex.

**NOTICE**

A petition has been presented in the above-captioned matter praying that a certain instrument be probated purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **Constance M. Miragliotta** of North Andover in the County of Essex, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof, without giving a surety on her bond; and to the Attorney General of said Commonwealth.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem on or before 10:00 in the forenoon on January 12, 1987.

In addition you should file a written statement of objections to the petition, giving specific grounds therefore, within thirty(30) days after the return day (or such other time as the Court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 2A.

Witness, Thaddeus Buczko, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Salem, the twelfth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty six.

JOHN F. BURKE
Register of Probate
December 18, 1986

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**
**PROBATE COURT**
**Essex, ss. No. 86D2334-D1**
**Order for Service by Publication**

**Nancy G. Geldart** Plaintiff
vs **Jeffrey Geldart**
Defendant

Upon motion of plaintiff for an order directing **Jeffrey Geldart**, the defendant herein, to appear, plead or answer, in accordance with Supplemental Rule 407 of the Probate Courts, it appearing to the Court that this is an action - to dissolve the bonds of matrimony for custody of and allowance for minor children that the said **Jeffrey Geldart** cannot be found within the Commonwealth and that his present whereabouts are unknown; that personal service on said defendant is therefore not practicable, and that said defendant has not voluntarily appeared in this action; it is

Ordered that said **Jeffrey Geldart** is directed to appear, plead, answer or otherwise move with respect to the complaint herein on or before the Twenty-sixth day of February 1987, or in default thereof this Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this suit;

Ordered that the accompanying summons be published in the Andover Townsman once a week for three consecutive weeks beginning December 18, 1986; and it is further

Ordered that a copy of the summons be mailed to the defendant at his last known address by registered or certified mail.

Date: December 3, 1986
Thaddeux Buczko
Judge of Probate
December 18, 24 & 31, 1986

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**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT**

(Seal) **Case No. 121557**

To **Ronald H. Muir** and **Margaret F. Muir**, both of Andover, Essex County; both of said Commonwealth: and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: University Bank and Trust Company, having an usual place of business in Newton, Middlesex County, and said Commonwealth; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in said Andover, numbered 33 Sagamore Drive, given by **Ronald H. Muir** and **Margaret F. Muir**, to Express Financial Services, dated May 23, 1985, recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 1979, Page 53, and now held by the Plaintiff by assignment, has filed with said court a complaint to authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure, you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the nineteenth day of January 1987, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, Marilyn M. Sullivan, Chief Justice of said Court this third day of December 1986.

Charles W. Trombly, Jr.
Recorder
December 18, 1986

**TOWN OF ANDOVER**

**PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING**

In accordance with Chapter 41, G.L., Section 81, notice is hereby given that the Planning Board of the Town of Andover will hold a public hearing TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1986 at 7:30 P.M. at Town Hall, Bartlet Street, 3rd Floor, on the petition of **Coolidge Construction Company**, No. Andover, MA for a plan review drawn by Merrimack Engineering Services of Andover, MA.

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December 11 & 18, 1986

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT**

Essex ss. **No. 86D 2334-D1**

**Summons by Publication**

**Nancy G. Geldart** Plaintiff vs. **Jeffrey Geldart** Defendant

To the above-named Defendant:

A complaint has been presented to this Court by your spouse, **Nancy G. Geldart**, seeking a Divorce.

You are required to serve upon Reginald L. Marden, plaintiff - plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 23 Central Street, Andover, MA your answer on or before February 26, 1987. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Salem, Massachusetts.

Witness Thaddeus Buczko, Esq., First Judge of said Court at Salem, Mass.

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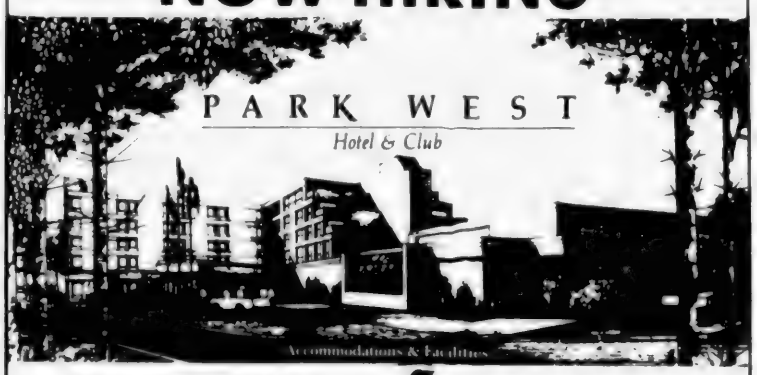
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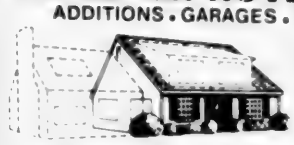
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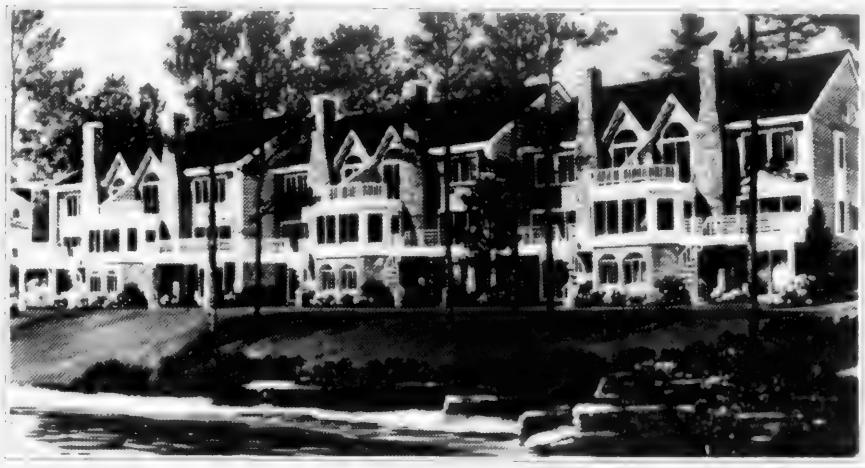
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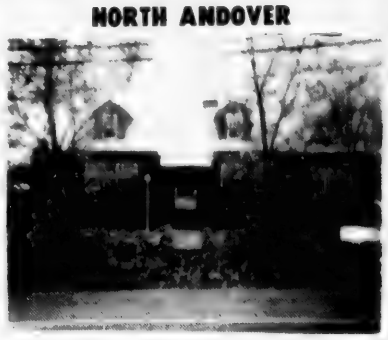
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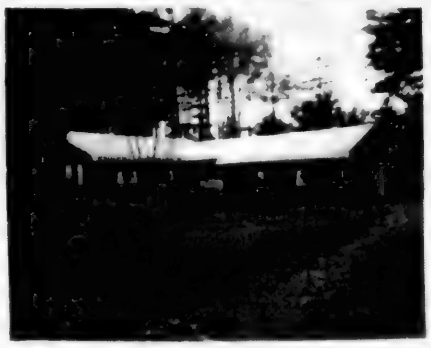
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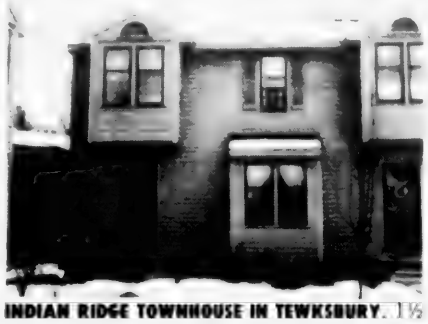
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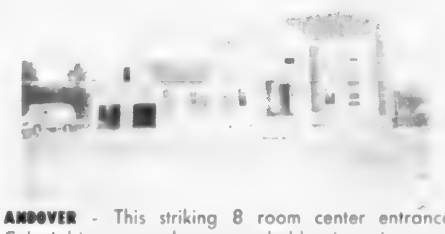
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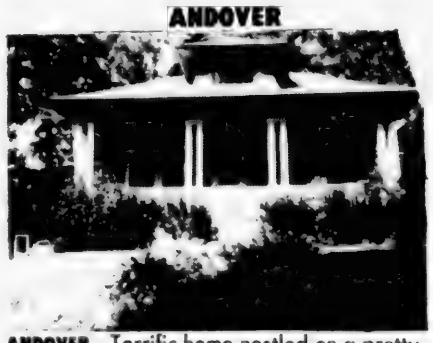
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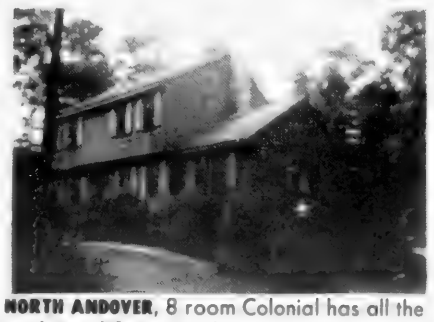
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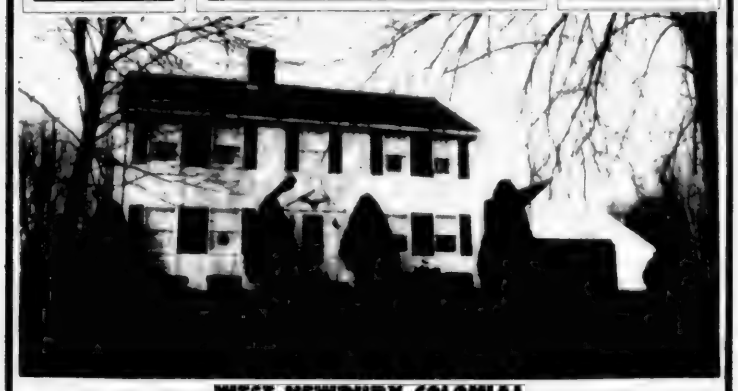
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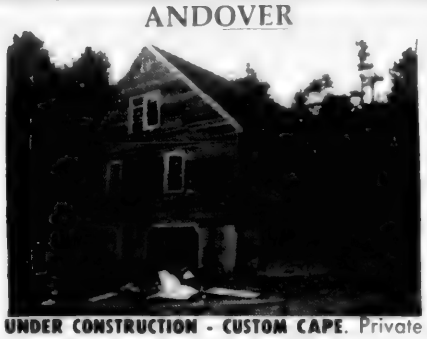
**LAWRENCE** - Established Bar with real estate. Great opportunity. Has 7 day RESTAURANT/LIQUOR LICENSE. **$350,000**

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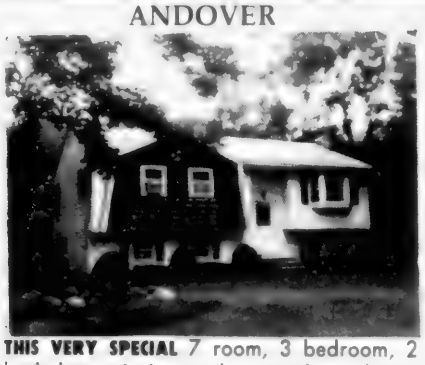
**UNDER CONSTRUCTION - CUSTOM CAPE.** Private wooded acre lot, convenient to town, school and Route 93. Spacious foyer - step down living room, formal dining room with fireplace, large family room has double insulated doors to 12 x 16 cathedral ceiling sunroom. Fantastic kitchen with island area including Jenn-aire, microwave. Custom cabinets, recessed lighting, large dining area with access to a 2 level deck. Three large bedrooms, 2.5 baths and so much more. **$299,900**

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**HANDSOME H.R. COLONIAL** in desirable Country Club area on child safe circle set on ½ acre + lot with easy access to highways. Very spacious, offering impressive foyer. Living room, formal dining room and library w/hardwood floors, roomy kitchen and dining area with sliders to large deck. Fantastic gameroom with cathedral ceiling, skylites, 4 large bedrooms, master with bath. Pull-down staircase, laundry. Piped for central vacuum, recently painted exterior, underground sprinkler system. **$495,000**

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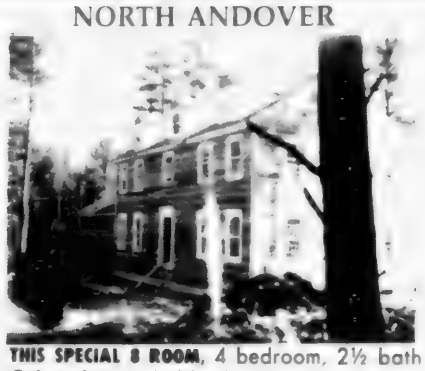
**THIS VERY SPECIAL** 7 room, 3 bedroom, 2 bath home is immaculate inside and out. Surrounded by nature, this home features a fireplaced family room, formal living room, formal dining room plus a cabinet packed eat-in kitchen. **$215,000**

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**WONDERFUL FAMILY HOME** situated on a large treed lot in a quiet cul-de-sac. This young 8 room, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Garrison colonial with 2x6 construction features a large eat-in kitchen, fireplaced living room, formal dining room, spacious fireplaced family room., first floor laundry plus four good sized bedrooms. Available immediately. **$305,000**

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**THIS SPECIAL 8 ROOM,** 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial is nestled back in the trees for the Buyer who loves a private setting - yet it is in a lovely development just right for children. The quality construction includes cedar siding, central air conditioning and central vacuum plus many more extras. The kitchen boasts a bay eating area that is sunny and inviting. Extra sized family room - A spectacular house at this price, situated on a 3½ acre lot. **$389,900**

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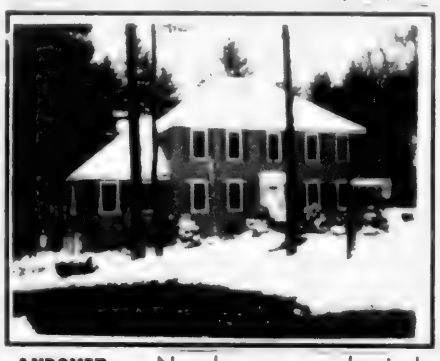


**ANDOVER** - Marvelous curb appeal and a family room big enough for the whole family! This immaculately charming ranch features four bedrooms, fireplaced living room, one and a half baths, attached two car garage, 16'x32' inground pool with changing room. Terrific! **$219,900**

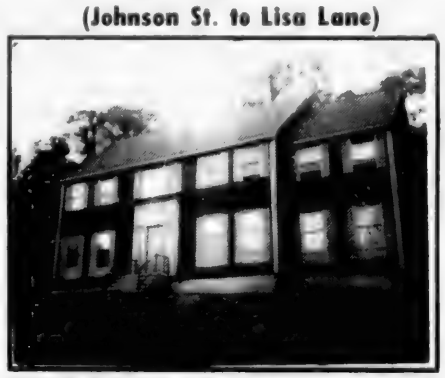
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**ANDOVER** - Nearly new and nicely appointed hip roof Colonial in a wonderful neighborhood on a private circle. This great home boasts a spacious first floor family room, formal living room, dining room, eat-in kitchen with atrium doors to deck overlooking lovely wooded backyard. **$329,900**



**NORTH ANDOVER** - Stately setting on knoll. New nine room colonial on prestigious family circle, one minute to North Andover's Olde Center. Open foyer with tile, two fireplaces, library, first floor laundry. Jenn-Aire, Kitchen-Aid dishwasher, cathedral ceiling. **$359,900**



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The Andover Townsman

# Overcrowded Classrooms To Shift To Elementary Buildings

By Karen L. Day

Projections for the next five years indicate that three of the Andover elementary schools will become overcrowded, while there will be a decline in numbers attending the two junior high schools and about an even number attending the high school. The School Committee received the report, which was prepared by the School Enrollment Study Committee, on Tuesday evening.

All four elementary schools and the early childhood center are presently utilizing all teaching spaces. In addition to spaces for Chapter I teachers, 766 personnel and tutors, Bancroft, Sanborn and West also house special needs classes.

The expected increase in students attending Bancroft, South and West schools is directly related to the availability of new homes in the school districts, while Sanborn will see a steady decline in enrollment. Overall, the report concludes that space needs on the elementary level will exceed building capacities, with enrollment increasing by 84 students over the next five years.

Pod areas at West Elementary, designed to house 10 classes each, will be operating with 12 classes this academic year. According to the report, space could be arranged by housing three classes in rooms now used for music and art, but this would destroy the "consistency of services we have worked to achieve."

At Bancroft, choral music is often taught in the loft or corridor areas when there are two teachers holding classes at the same time. Instrumental music is taught in the corridors while tutors are in storage areas and some classes are held in the old science labs and art rooms which do not have adequate space. Physical education is difficult to schedule with two teachers because the cafeteria must be used as a second teaching station. "Every space in the building is over-utilized to make the instructional program work."

The scheduling of instrumental music lessons is a difficulty of both South and Sanborn as well. Sanborn's choral music lessons are held on stage and when a second physical education teacher is there, music lessons and gym classes are held in the cafeteria at the same time. Space for tutors is generally closet or storage rooms. Both schools are at capacity and it is expected that South may have to have an additional class space if all their kindergarteners are promoted to first grade.

At the Early Childhood Center, specialist areas are inadequate and the majority of rooms where classes are held do not meet the state recommended 1200 square feet of space, averaging around 700-800 square feet.

In conclusion, the report states that the increasing elementary population will have to "keep squeezing space in the existing buildings, unless some arrangements can be made" to either move some students to the junior high schools or "serious consideration be given to providing another elementary school."

Committee member Susan Poore requested that the administration provide the committee with a presentation of possible alternatives to the present situation. This would include the idea of a middle school, additions to buildings, the movement of classes—an overview of the schools' physical plant. "We need to know what will happen if we do nothing...or little."

## *Town Hall*

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mate potential costs of construction as follows:

- Repairs and safety improvements: $400,000;
- Code improvements: $400,000;
- Replacement of systems: $600,000;
- Architectural renovations: $330,000;
- Allocations for improvements and paving in the front of the building: $42,000;
- Furnishings and theatrical equipment (termed "very basic"): $155,000;
- Allocation for furnishing of tenant areas: $130,000;
- Cost and design contingencies (figured to cover the development of additional costs or further deterioration of the building over the time before and during construction): $240,000.

Beha emphasized that the figures were based on costs estimated in July. "It's a great building," she added. "Very, very nice."

Town Manager Kenneth Mahony told the selectmen that the town Re-Use Committee had met concerning the Old Town Hall earlier in the day. "The unanimous consensus was that they wanted to save the building," he said.

Selectman John Scileppi added that he, too, felt that the Old Town Hall was virtually irreplaceable. "For my part," he said, "I feel that it would be a shame not to preserve that building."

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